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CLOUD OF WITNESSES

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At the Kettering meeting in England, thirteen young Baptist preachers met to organize the Baptist Missionary Society on October 2, 1792. The plan was agreed upon; the needed action followed. These young preachers from their poverty, for their average salary could not have been more than ten shillings a week, pledged money to send William Carey on his way to preach the gospel unto salvation in a far country. One of these preachers, William E. Stoughten, had no money but borrowed to pay his pledge.

This free pledging and giving marked a new method in missionary enterprise. Missions had already been organized as a department of government and supported by parliamentary grant. But here began the giving of self and substance on a democratic and voluntary basis, a method which would prove to be the only method which could succeed, and which is indeed the only method that is fully in accord with the spirit and character of Jesus Christ.

William Stoughten emigrated to America, became a college president, chaplain of Congress, and then pastor of the First Baptist Church of Philadelphia. While there he organized the first American Baptist theological seminary with his home as the classroom and himself as faculty. To this school came John Mason Peck from Amenia, N. Y., on Route 22 north of White Plains. Soon, the missionary zeal of these young English preachers of the Kettering group was transmitted through Stoughten to Peck.

The first Triennial Baptist Convention was organized with Stoughten as secretary, then its president. Peck became its first missionary. American Baptists have a spiritual ancestry in the Kettering witnesses. "Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God." (Hebrews 12:1-2.) Through Stoughten and Peck these witnesses hold us in their survey. It is a challenging, soul-searching survey which we cannot escape. In unbroken line they have passed the responsibility and the privilege to our hands. What has transpired in the year 1957 is recorded on these pages.

ALASKA, INDIAN WORK, AND SCHOOLS IN THE U. S.

Each successive visit to Alaska confirms the impression of greater stability in the total life of the area. New and improved housing, modern public buildings, a growing network of roads, and initial steps toward a more varied economy contribute to this. Alaskans are confident that statehood will be granted in the near future. This evidence that the rest of America recognizes Alaska to be an integral part of the United States can be expected to bring industry and a marked increase in population. Both population and economic expansion have their focus in the Anchorage area.

The reasonable assurance of continuing growth and stability indicate that American Baptists should look to their own future in Alaska. To that end a concentrated study of Anchorage was made in the summer of 1957. Even though American Baptist families have placed their membership in churches of other denominations, a number of them gave assurance that they would participate in the development of an American Baptist church. The churches of other denominations urge us to enter Anchorage. They feel that the combination of evangelistic witness and social concern with which American Baptists do their work is a needed asset. When adequate leadership can be found, an attempt will be made to establish a church in Anchorage.

There is continuing need for closer ties between Alaska churches and American Baptists in the States. Some steps have been possible. Two missionary families on furlough during this year helped in one direction. The services of two pastors from the States were made available to Cordova for the interim between pastors, and a supply pastor was provided for Kodiak during the pastor's furlough. The Washington Baptist Convention, to which the Alaska churches are linked by associational membership, gives serious thought to ways in which additional contacts can be provided between Alaska and Washington.

At Cordova changes in leadership forecast a stronger work. The combination of pastor and hospital administrator was recognized as too heavy a responsibility for one person. A registered nurse became hospital administrator and a new pastor was appointed to begin work at the beginning of the new year. The Christian center program has maintained its high level of ministry. During the interim between pastors, the lay people of the church responded in a most encouraging way by themselves conducting church services and by working with interim pastors.

At Kodiak the multiple program of church, children's home, and boat ministry has continued to minister to a growing population. Now that more housing is available in the city, between 3,000 and 4,000 people live there. Many of these are families of service personnel in the area for only two years. This means a procession of church attendants and church leadership with a core of permanent residents carrying the larger responsibility for witness to the area.

Plans are underway to move the base of the *Evangel* to the Kodiak side of the Island. Closer proximity to supplies and marine repairs will enable the boat to make more frequent trips to some of the villages. Another factor is the availability of high school for teen-age members of the evangelist's family. A new residence for the family is projected on Wood Island.

Closer ties were established between the Indian churches in six states and their respective state conventions. In April, 1957, both the Indian churches and the conventions approved the relationship which brought this work under joint administration of the state conventions and the Home Mission Societies. This has brought a sense of more immediate responsibility for ministry to Indians on the part of neighbor churches, more participation by Indian people in state and association meetings, a sense of belonging, and a confidence in their own capacity for leadership.

A general missionary was appointed to supervise the work in Oklahoma. Indian lay pastors were given opportunity to study at the Rural Church Center at Green Lake, Wis. A general program for lay leadership development was initiated.

Not enough has been accomplished in developing a ministry to Indian relocatees in cities. Some notable advances were made in Northern and Southern California, Chicago, Ill., and Denver, Colo. Some American Baptists have given indication of concern in a few other cities, but in the majority of focal points for relocation unawareness continues.

The first year of operation in a cottage setting for Murrow Home has proven advantageous. Houseparents and children together have cooperated to develop three healthy and happy family units which were not possible in dormitory buildings.

Bacone College is in its first year of operation with only a junior college curriculum. In spite of the loss of high school students and the discontinuance of varsity football, the enrollment has increased. Some white and Negro students are enrolled. Gifts of anonymous donors have made possible the construction of two new faculty cottages. Other gifts have enabled the renovation of former Murrow buildings for student housing.

This has been a difficult year for the Baptist Missionary Training School because of the death of its president. A smaller enrollment for the 1957-58 school year has placed an added financial burden on the school. A study of all American Baptist educational institutions in Illinois has focused attention on the future program which BMTS should offer. Further study in this area is projected.

The Mather School has its largest junior college enrollment in this fifth year of that phase of the school's program. To maintain its high school accreditation and quality for junior college accreditation, more income for Mather must be found. A larger participation through the channels of the Institutional Budget and more gifts from the local area are sought.

All three schools continue to provide the peculiar ministry for which they were founded. Many Indian young people continue to need the first bridge between cultures which Bacone offers. The example of interracial living which the faculty of Mather offers is an important witness. At BMTS the missionary emphasis, denominational identity, practical field work experience, and combination of technical skills and liberal arts training continues to provide the special training which is needed by women missionaries in both home and foreign service.

CHRISTIAN FRIENDLINESS

"God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform." The timelessness of the study materials on *Christ, the Church, and Race* in the year of headlines about Little Rock, Ark., and Levittown, Pa., is a mystery. The readiness of the General Council to present a resolution on racial relations at the Philadelphia Convention is not surprising, but the unanimous adoption of it is one of God's wonders. With a national crisis upon us God has moved us to speak as Christians.

The Secretary of the Department of Christian Friendliness acted as secretary of the drafting group and Rev. James Scott of the Department of Cities contributed to the writing. A portion of this strategic resolution follows:

"... we dedicate ourselves to the following objectives:

- "1. That membership in each Baptist church shall be open to all people of its community regardless of their race or national origin.
- "2. That each church shall choose its minister on the basis of character and ability without regard to racial background.
- "3. That each church shall work to assure equality for all people in education, employment, housing, and political activity.
- "4. That members of our churches shall base their fellowship with others on individual merit without regard to racial origins.
- "5. That we shall not align ourselves with any organized group or movement that works to retain segregation whether in country clubs, sororities, fraternities, service clubs, organizations of property owners, the Klu Klux Klan, White Citizens' Councils, and all exclusive groups that deny membership to others on the basis of race.
- "6. That each Baptist organization, school, home, and hospital shall follow practices that are consistent with clear policies of racial non-discrimination." (See American Baptist Convention *Yearbook*, 1957, pages 59 and 95, for the full resolution.)

A vital strategy for American and National Baptist counterparts has evolved. Conversational groups, informal and unofficial in nature, have laid a foundation for creative contacts across racial lines. The Baptist Jubilee Advance with its inter-convention sponsorship is giving opportunity to plan a united witness in each community.

To feel the heartbeat of home missions one needs the stethoscope of actual experience. To provide lived experience in Christian racial and cultural relationships is the assignment of Christian Friendliness personnel. Congregations during this year have taken an interest in the spiritual and human problems of identifiable groups: Indian-American families relocating in multiracial communities; migratory workers; Spanish-speaking newcomers; persons of Asian background; immigrants from Asia, Europe, the Middle East; families of Jewish faith; southerners, Negro and non-Negro, trying to find housing; visitors and students from abroad.

The refugee resettlement-integration story is not completed until the relocated family can experience Jesus Christ embodied in a communion of worshippers. Of the 1,009 cases processed since early 1954, 328 have arrived. There are several reasons why there still remain a non-arrival case load of 681. In addition, 458 individual Hungarians were assisted by the cooperative effort of this office and the Baptist World Alliance.

CHRISTIAN MINISTRY TO SERVICE PERSONNEL

The two and a half million service personnel in our armed forces number a million more than the total membership of the American Baptist Conven-

tion and are completely dependent on the churches for a Christian ministry. Our denomination seeks to do its part.

The Christian ministry to service personnel has now fallen into a pattern which includes guidance for youth anticipating military service, help for those in military service, program assistance to chaplains, and guidance for churches who seek to serve those of their congregations who are in the Army, Navy, or Air Force.

Considerable resource material is available to those who wish to help their young people prepare spiritually for their military experiences. The textbook for the elective course, *Military Service and You*, is in great demand, and the gift booklet *Forward March*, written for young persons entering the service, is widely used. Small leaflets for young people of pre-induction age continue to be distributed widely. More and more churches make this type of counseling and instruction a part of their regular church program.

It is encouraging to note that other agencies such as the Y.M.C.A. and the Religious Education Association are taking account of the need for this type of ministry and are making a contribution through their respective agencies.

At the close of 1957 some two hundred American Baptist chaplains were serving in the military services and the Veterans' Administration. Their evangelistic work and faithful counseling constitute an important contribution. To ask our chaplains to nurture the character development of our young men when churches, schools, and homes have failed to lay adequate character foundations is to ask the impossible. Nurturing Christian church members without the support of Christian churches is like watering plants which are uprooted from the soil. The spiritual life of our servicemen will wither and die no matter how faithfully our chaplains work unless our churches give them the spiritual nourishment that only churches can supply.

Conscious of this need, many churches supply their absent members with devotional literature, including *The Secret Place*. A sterling silver cross with an American Baptist inscription is often presented as a reminder of the church fellowship. Effective churches minister to a worldwide parish, to members in residence around the world.

Our Societies send *Missions*, *Crusader*, and the *Pastors' Round Table* to each chaplain, thus strengthening his ministry. Annual retreats are conducted, the next one scheduled for Franklin, O., in June. The newsletter, "The American Baptist Chaplain," is appreciated. Visits by the Department Secretary and the field representative to the chaplains strengthen the liaison with the denomination as do the monthly chaplains' reports.

At this writing military strength has been so reduced that assistance is given to chaplains seeking relocation in civilian parishes. In addition to assisting in placement through state and city secretaries, the Societies help chaplains who are temporarily dislocated by monthly cash payments of \$150 for a maximum period of six months. This service is greatly appreciated both by those receiving assistance and by other chaplains who observe here a symbol of a denomination's concern for its chaplains.

CHURCH EXTENSION

The most significant event of 1957 in the field of church extension was the action taken on June 1 by the American Baptist Convention in its annual session in Philadelphia to embark "on a program of church extension involving the establishment of a line of credit in an amount up to three million dollars by The American Baptist Home Mission Society to be repaid over a period of 10 years at the rate of \$300,000 per year, which amount shall be the first claim against the Unified Budget of the American Baptist Convention for a period of 10 years. . . ." On June 3 our Board voted to accept this challenge and responsibility of using these funds "exclusively for church extension to be administered by The American Baptist Home Mission Society on a revolving loan fund basis." By the end of 1957 over \$700,000 in loans had been voted to be paid from this fund, although there was a sufficient "lag" in the actual paying out of the loans themselves so that no money had yet been borrowed from the bank for this purpose.

Probably the second most significant advance in the field of church extension during 1957 was the advance in Hawaii. At the beginning of the year we were participating in the work of the First Baptist Church of Honolulu; at the May Board meeting we appointed Rev. Rudolph A. Ullrich as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Windward, which had been established a few months previously; and at the November meeting of the Executive Committee we appointed Rev. Harold Fickett, Sr., as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pearl Harbor, Honolulu. These new churches are some of our most challenging church extension fields.

There were seventy-seven pastors and church extension leaders, plus twenty pastors' wives at the Church Extension Conference at Green Lake, Wis., August 3-10. At this conference a supplement to the 1956 Church Extension Handbook was prepared and valuable technical advice was given to the delegates by church architects, a commercial church building fund raiser, and several denominational leaders.

During 1957 our Societies participated in the support of pastoral leadership in 148 Churches for New Frontiers churches. Each year these churches take large steps toward self-support and toward the support of the Unified Budget of our denomination. It was significant to note at the Church Extension Conference at Green Lake that the average church represented was three years old, had a site of approximately three acres in size, and gave approximately \$1,000 annually to the Unified Budget. Already a number of these new churches are among the outstanding churches of their state convention or city society areas.

CITIES

"The predictable life of an urban church in its present setting is a maximum of thirty years." The source of the quotation is unknown but upon close and detailed examination its truth continues to prove itself. One of the great concerns in our day stems from the fact that we, as American Baptists, have been basically a rural people. The majority of our people live in cities, but until recently were in rural areas and most of our churches are still in rural

areas. To learn how to live in the city is our pressing concern and our necessity if we are to be a denomination that matters in another generation.

Our churches in the cities are frequently caught in situations which are far more serious than they realize. Today's suburb is tomorrow's crowded city. Today's crowded city is tomorrow's slum, and in many instances the population explosion and increasing density of people does not even let us wait until tomorrow. For every three persons now in our nation, in less than a score of years, there will be four. As rapidly as we have built housing, more housing is deteriorating beyond repair than we have built. People move more frequently.

The church is caught in the midst of a social situation that defies even the resources and best thought of civic government, sociologists, and city planners. Yet as Henry Commager states in *The American Mind*, "Never before have the churches been materially more powerful and spiritually less effective." Membership, beautiful buildings, and finances are at a peak. That the world grows sicker is quickly apparent in the increase of delinquency, liquor consumption, and the divorce rate.

The Chinese have a custom of naming years according to some significant event or happening. If we followed that custom in the Department of Cities, we would call 1957 "the year of testing." Slightly more than a year ago, we launched the Church Planning and Strategy Program. The purpose of this is to aid a church in order that it may more effectively minister in its community. The independence of the Baptist church is preserved but groups of churches are helped to understand their interdependence. City societies and associations anticipate a comprehensive program for years to come.

This was a year of testing, literally speaking, for missionary candidates. With the wide needs on mission fields and the varieties of backgrounds into which workers are projected it became increasingly obvious that more accurate placement procedures must be utilized. To that end psychological testing and interviewing was established. This has proved eminently helpful and may well be instituted as standard procedure. The matching of man, place, need, and job requirement can be accomplished to the greater satisfaction and effectiveness of all concerned through the use of this method.

This year was a further year of testing in the field of the work of Rev. E. B. Hicks who carries special responsibility for Educational Centers but greater responsibility for the cooperative relationship with National Baptists. With some three hundred American Baptist churches dually aligned with National Baptists, it was obvious that there were sharing opportunities. Mr. Hicks has found ample opportunity for this liaison work and finds new areas and avenues of opportunities opening up for service. The current mission study theme on *Christ, the Church, and Race*, has helped make plain the need for his vital services.

In the field of Juvenile Protection 1957 was a year of testing as well. Junior Citizens' Camps were significant but took a disproportionate amount of staff time. American Baptist churches did not assume the personal concern in this field that was needed. Therefore, the staff has rethought some procedures and methods and will shortly add significant new emphases in the program.

Christian centers were also tested. Almost a dozen were forced to re-examine their reason for being. Some were closed, others relocated. Others will soon reshape their ministries. Urban redevelopment and slum clearance have forced this in some areas. Changed community needs have brought it about in other circumstances. Although the value of centers is not disputed, their locations and program in particular communities may be open to question.

This was a year of testing, too, for overall city thinking and strategy. The first Urban Convocation is now history. A full book reporting the Convocation was produced, including a lengthy staff appraisal of our "state of the nation." Our educational methods, needs, and aims were charted. An Urban Commission was created to assist American Baptists to find strength and answers for a ministry in the city.

If it seems that much of the program of the Department of Cities was reexamined and tested, this is true. The pressure of growth and mobility, to name but two factors in urban areas, has compelled us to seriously examine our emphases and our approaches. Home missions must continually examine its goals, motivation, and methods. Shifting social scenes demand new ways of ministry even though the eternal message of our Christ remains the same.

It is apparent to the missionaries of the Department of Cities that, essential as programing is, it is more imperative that we find a grounding in our faith which will hold. Activity alone is not the answer. We must be sure that what we attempt is rooted in a thorough understanding of the problem and carefully developed according to a long range strategy.

EDIFICE FUNDS AND BUILDING COUNSEL

Loan activity in the Department of Edifice Funds and Building Counsel during 1957 far exceeded that of any previous year. Authorizations for loans totaling nearly two million dollars were voted. Over one and one-third million dollars was paid out in loans during the year. There are now over five hundred active loan accounts in this department plus approximately three hundred eighty contingent accounts. Repayments on loans averaged approximately \$50,000 per month during 1957, nearly \$20,000 per month of this amount coming from Churches for New Frontiers loans. By the end of 1957 our Board had voted loans to 189 New Frontiers churches.

There has been an increasing demand that our Societies make known to the denomination more information about the kind of loans that can be made and the way in which money is borrowed. Since conditions change rapidly, any such information is acknowledged to be temporary, but we now have mimeographed dated statements of information concerning the availability of loan funds. Nearly all of the regular church edifice loan funds are made on a three to five-year basis, with constant monthly payments to care for amortization and interest during the repayment period. We also have mimeographed information concerning the availability of Churches for New Frontiers loans and the limitations on the use of these funds. These New Frontiers policies have been approved both by our Societies and the General Council. It is generally understood that no more than \$30,000 is to be loaned to a single church and no more than \$300,000 to a single state convention or

standard city society area from the funds our Societies are to borrow from the bank. Most of these loans are without interest during the first year and are repaid according to the general New Frontiers terms at the rate of \$10 per \$1,000 borrowed to care for the amortization of principal and interest (at the rate of 3 per cent per annum). There are several variations to this plan.

Rev. Edward Catlos, Rev. Edward E. Chipman, and the Secretary of the Department conducted over 200 building counsel conferences during 1957. These conferences are for the purpose of guiding the building planning committee of the local church in the various steps and aspects of the building program. Normally these conferences are preceded by correspondence and the supplying of printed helps and information. Building counsel is in increasing demand but it is still hoped that a representative of this department may be able to visit each church which is anticipating a major building program once during the time of its preparation for this program. It is becoming increasingly desirable that the church give at least ninety days' previous notice of the desire for such a conference. These conferences are held without cost to the individual church.

We have now been able to gather together certain statistics in regard to our work in the field of church building fund campaigns. There were 29 campaigns in 1957, in which over one and one-third million dollars was raised in cash and pledges. Rev. Wesley Dixon and Rev. Harold J. Litsey were with us during the entire year. Rev. Michael C. Elliott began August 16. Rev. D. Ralph Nichols and Rev. Horace M. Taylor began December 1.

We now have arrived at a fixed cost for leadership for the church building campaign of the local church. For the normal campaign this is \$975 and includes the cost of leadership plus the travel and living costs of the director while he is on the field. This amount includes the cost of a preliminary visit to help the church to set up the campaign and provides for approximately eight weeks of preparation "off the field," plus two weeks of intensive "on the field" leadership. Now, however, there is increasing demand for more intensive campaigns. Sixteen campaigns have already been scheduled for the first four months of 1958 and four of these churches are asking for a longer period of preparation and three weeks of "on the field" leadership. These churches are to pay \$1,450 for this service. The cost to the churches for leadership in church building fund campaigns during 1957 was considerably less than 2 per cent of the amount raised in these campaigns.

During 1958 it is hoped that Rev. Wesley Dixon will be able to give his time to the entire work in both the Department of Edifice Funds and Building Counsel and the Department of Church Extension. This will still leave four full-time men in church building fund raising and also will give to the department the advantage of Mr. Dixon's successful experience in this field.

EVANGELISM

That evangelism is the corporate and central task of the church has always been implicitly assumed but more explicitly affirmed during the year 1957.

The discipline of theology, whose central aim actually is to translate the gospel into the idiom of the contemporary generation, has been consciously and seriously incorporated into the concerns of the Department of Evangelism. The Advisory Committee composed of a group of theologians and pastors has engaged in a serious reflection on the nature of the evangelistic task to be continued by pastors and laymen across the country. The Evangelism and Bible Conference at Green Lake, Wis., was deliberately set in a theological context to come to grips with the more fundamental issues faced in modern evangelism.

Close collaboration and consultation was established with various agencies of the denomination as a further affirmation that evangelism is not the specialized mission of any one department but of the whole denomination. Preparation for the "Mission to the Academic Community" in 1959-60 is being done in cooperation with the Board of Education's Division of Christian Higher Education, and the "Mission to the Churches" in 1960-61 with the Division of Home, Church and Community. In a sense, one important facet of the Department's ministry and leadership is to "go underground" to have its contribution integrated and absorbed into the life and program of other agencies and departments. This presupposes, however, a high demand of a certain kind of specialized leadership and resourcefulness not currently possessed but toward which a staff rebuilding hopefully aims.

Lines of close communication have been proposed with the city and state conventions. These include national programs based on thorough mutual conversation and planning and promotion through the state and city offices instead of directly to the local churches. The real frontier of evangelism lies in the local church through its living encounter with the community, and the Department seeks to offer its available resources to the churches through the city societies and the state conventions.

The breadth and complexity of the world to which the gospel must be addressed makes it imperative that evangelism be a corporate concern not only of the entire denomination but of the whole church of Jesus Christ. This makes the Baptist Jubilee Advance — five years of concerted concern of the seven Baptist bodies in North America with a total membership of nineteen million — significant and a sign of real hope. This also makes close involvement with the Departments of Evangelism of the National and the World Councils of Churches an obvious necessity as well as a real opportunity.

The Department is grateful for the creative contributions and suggestions which have come from sources too numerous to mention. Profound gratitude is due those who have given so many years as area directors and who during 1957 brought their ministry through the Department to a close but continue to serve significantly through other channels. These are Rev. Cletis Brown, Dr. Ernest O. Force, Dr. C. Arlin Heydon, and Dr. Bruce Mills.

HOMES AND HOSPITALS

The Association of Baptist Homes and Hospitals include 37 Homes for the Aging now in operation with eight more in the process of organization, 14 Children's Homes, and 7 Hospitals. Of these 66 institutions: (1) 60 were visited by the Secretary of the Department during the year, some several

times; (2) 16 were assisted in securing key personnel; and (3) 9 completed building projects at an approximate cost of \$2,000,000. Future building and expansion projects, to be initiated within the next two years, already represent a proposed investment of \$3,000,000.

The Homes and Hospitals Conference held its third annual session at Green Lake, Wis., with a record enrollment of eighty. Our publication *Concern*, now issued bimonthly, has been well received by an increasing number of readers. Stimulated by the program suggestions of the National Council of American Baptist Women, thousands of local church women's groups have made a first acquaintance with our ministries of mercy. Our Association of Homes and Hospitals had two hundred present at its annual meeting in Philadelphia. This was twice the attendance of the preceding year.

The Fellowship of Baptist Institutional Chaplains reports seventy ministers in institutional service, thirty-five under full-time appointment. Four scholarships to aid in clinical training were made available to prospective chaplains in 1957. This ministry in federal, state, and local hospitals, prisons, and reformatories has a significance which cannot be overemphasized. American Baptists are beginning to make a worthy contribution in this field.

The Department of Homes and Hospitals, in addition to its many institutional obligations, has maintained a wide range of denominational and interdenominational committee and conference relationships throughout the years. Our expanding program becomes ever more challenging.

LATIN AMERICA

The Department of Latin America is continually faced with great changes in the fields where the Department is at work. In common with other underdeveloped areas of the world, Latin America is now in the midst of a period of progress in many aspects of its life. The government of the United States gives large amounts of money and provides the services of many skilled people to assist in this progress. For many years the American Baptist Home Mission Societies have given help to Latin American countries through gifts of money for the promotion of mission work, through the devoted services of consecrated missionaries, and through prayerful concern. There are occasions when the Board is able to get a closer look at the fields where the work is carried on in the name of the Societies. One such occasion occurred when four Board members participated in the anniversary tour to Puerto Rico and Haiti, and four participated in the tour which visited Mexico, Nicaragua, and El Salvador.

The first group saw in Puerto Rico a land of amazing progress. They were impressed by evidences of a stable and efficient government. They saw the signs of remarkable material progress, even as they noted the great slum areas, both rural and urban, still very much a part of Puerto Rican life. As they visited the annual meeting of the Puerto Rico Baptist Convention, they were impressed by capable leadership managing convention affairs independent of missionary leadership. They heard reports of strong self-supporting churches with wide-spread missionary outreach. They visited the interdenominational seminary and heard of the proposed new building, since

completed, with a considerable share of the costs borne by Puerto Rican evangelicals. When they reflected that all these things had come about since the turn of the century, when evangelicals were first permitted on the Island, they saw once again the evidences of the power of the gospel in a people.

As the group moved to Haiti they saw quite a different picture. Here the Societies are privileged to minister to people who live on a low economic level. Ninety per cent of the people are illiterate. Even here there are great "islands" of change. These are the churches which have grown up with the Societies' assistance during the past thirty years. The pattern of change in standards of morality, in level of education, in a sense of stewardship of life and goods, even in the very appearance of the people, brought out once again the remarkable transforming power of the Christian gospel in the lives of people.

The fact that the group was not able to visit Cuba called attention to another reason for change in Latin America. The instability of government is a constantly recurring theme in any study of Latin America. The fiftieth anniversary of Colegios Internacionales was celebrated during the year in spite of difficulties. Cuban pastors and convention leaders carry on amid restrictions imposed by the political situation.

The group visiting Mexico saw this great country as a giant which had come awake from a long sleep and was now making tremendous forward strides. A symbol of Baptist progress was the observance of the tenth anniversary of the Mexican Baptist Seminary. No change is more significant than the rising level of ministerial leadership. Another sign of progress was the organization of a new church in one of the scores of new housing areas around the capital. People move to a new home but move also to a new way of life. This change represents great opportunity for evangelicals.

In Nicaragua and El Salvador the group saw institutions which had been powerful influences for improvement in these two countries. The two schools in El Salvador have not only been centers where many young people have been prepared for lives of usefulness but have also been models for the developing educational system of the land. This could also be said of Colegio Bautista in Managua. Hospital Bautista in that city has raised the standards of medical service for the capital and the entire country. The Baptist people of these two lands continue to demonstrate the growing strength of the churches there. This was seen in a striking way in the dedication of the beautiful new church building in Managua, funds for which were provided largely by the church members themselves.

The Board members brought greetings from the Board and from American Baptists to the brethren in these lands. While great changes and remarkable progress were noted, great areas of need were still evident on every hand.

An additional opportunity to see something of the work was afforded the Board at the time of the September meeting, when the six General Missionaries were present and spoke at one of the Board sessions. In their presentations to the Board, in discussions with the Latin America Committee and other members of the Board, and in conference through a period of two weeks, two items among others were given special emphasis. The first was

the great growth of the work in all areas. The second was the great importance of trained leadership in the growth already achieved and in the possibility of future growth. All of these observations point to the increasing importance to be given to training ministers and other leaders for the work in Latin America.

As Board members visited Latin America and as missionaries presented Latin America to the Board in a special way, there was cause for gratitude for all that has been accomplished through the years with dedicated money and lives. The assumption can never be made that all has been accomplished. Rather there must be a determination to continue and increase assistance to these needy areas, giving that help in the places where it will be most fruitful.

PERSONNEL

The services of the Personnel Secretary are shared by the Associated Home Mission Agencies composed of the American Baptist Home Mission Societies, the Board of Education and Publication, thirty-four state conventions, and sixteen standard city societies.

Though it is never accomplished, the task of the Personnel Secretary is to secure a sufficient number of qualified persons to fill the personnel needs of the various home mission departments, fill staff vacancies of the state conventions and city societies, and secure Christian education directors to meet an ever increasing demand from local churches. This is considerable ground to be covered by one man.

The activities of the Secretary for 1957 included visits to five college campuses, ten university student groups, and seven seminaries. He worked in five seven-day assemblies and youth conferences, spoke to five youth conventions and rallies, and visited twenty local churches. In youth camps and student groups alone, not including worship services and chapel addresses, he contacted over two thousand young people. During the summer season at Green Lake and other assemblies, he gave Kuder Vocational Preference Tests to 380 high school young people and had individual interviews with over 500 young people in high school, college, or seminary.

Our pattern of procedure is to secure information forms from prospective appointees. After additional information from references is secured, copies are made and a personnel folder is compiled. Information was compiled on 156 persons and 258 information folders were sent to the various agencies and departments. Thirty-six persons are known to have been placed through this office.

The Secretary also carries several responsible and important committee assignments. These include the Youth Curriculum Committee of the Baptist Youth Fellowship, the Life Service Committee which promotes Life Service Sunday, the Recruitment Committee of the Commission on the Ministry, and the Budget and Finance Committee, the Quadrennial Committee, and the Recruitment Committee, all of the Student Volunteer Movement.

Five articles appeared in the *Workers With Youth* publication. The book, *Why Enter a Church Vocation?*, written for the Baptist Youth Fellow-

ship, is now in its second reprint. *Opportunities in Your Future* is still popular and useful. The total number of this booklet in its successive revisions has exceeded forty thousand copies.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Anniversaries were one of the emphases of the Department of Public Relations during 1957. Celebrations commemorating the 125th anniversary of The American Baptist Home Mission Society and the 80th anniversary of the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society were held in various parts of the American Baptist Convention throughout the year.

Accomplishments in church extension were recognized on January 1, 1957, at Oregon City, Ore. Dr. Lincoln B. Wadsworth and Dr. Kenneth Scott Latourette were the speakers.

Two home mission tour groups, including members of the Board of Managers of the Societies, visited our Latin America fields in Haiti and Puerto Rico, as well as in Mexico, El Salvador, and Nicaragua, during February and March. Appropriate observances of the anniversaries were held in each of the countries visited with the Board members of the Societies participating.

On March 24 at the First Baptist Church at Chicago, Ill., representatives of fourteen language groups with whom the Societies have worked, paid tribute and expressed appreciation to the organizations. Dr. Jitsuo Morikawa was the featured speaker at the evening session.

Evangelism was the theme of still another anniversary observance in St. Louis, Mo., on April 9. This was held in the Third Baptist Church. Representatives of the American Baptist, Canadian Baptist, National Baptist, Inc., National Baptist, U.S.A., German Baptist, and Southern Baptist groups shared in the evening service. The guest speaker was Dr. Charles F. Taylor.

An Academic Convocation on November 12-13 at Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va., featured outstanding Negro leaders of the nation in the fields of law, religion, education, science, and medicine. The meeting commemorated the contribution of home missions to Negro education.

Still another phase of the anniversary observance was a series of ten meetings with pastors across the Convention with Dr. R. J. McCracken, minister of The Riverside Church, New York, N. Y., as the featured speaker. Dr. McCracken shared with the pastors from his rich background of experience in preaching and sermon preparation. Helpful discussions followed each presentation. Public meetings were held in the evening in most of the cities. Meetings were held at Pocatello, Ida.; Bozeman, Mont.; Los Angeles, Calif.; Tacoma, Wash.; Charleston, W. Va.; Worcester, Mass.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Dayton, O.; Indianapolis, Ind.; and Alton, Ill.

Considerable effort was placed in the expansion program campaign for the Spanish American Baptist Seminary of Los Angeles, Calif. Although the goal of \$200,000 was not achieved, a new classroom building was erected and funds are available for an all-purpose auditorium which will be erected in 1958.

Deputation speaking, general fund raising responsibilities, and promotion of a tour to Central America for early 1958 claimed the balance of our time and attention during 1957.

George J. Bennett, midwestern representative of the Societies, gave major attention during 1957 to soliciting annuities for the Societies and special gifts for the Spanish American Baptist Seminary. This entailed travel in twelve states and numerous speaking engagements. Great interest was demonstrated by the churches in having the overall scope of home missions presented. This involved Mr. Bennett's participation in schools of missions, laymen's conferences, youth assemblies, and a conference on the ministry.

Ivan C. Whipple, western representative, began his service with the Societies in August, 1957. He spent some time at Bacone College, Bacone, Okla., where he helped with the school's public relations program while he was being oriented to his new relationship with the entire American Baptist home mission program.

Veldon L. Patten, western representative of the Societies since 1954, resigned as of December 31, 1957, to join the staff of the Council on Missionary Cooperation of the American Baptist Convention. Before joining the national staff Mr. Patten was a valued American Baptist missionary to the Mono Indians in Northern California. His contribution to the cause of home missions is deeply appreciated.

PUBLICATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Department of Publications and Communications published and mailed five issues of *Pastors' Round Table* and three of *Memo from 164 Fifth Avenue*. The annual report, *American Baptist Home Missions*, was printed in two sections. The narrative section was distributed at the time of the convention in Philadelphia and the financial section in the summer following the completion of the audit. Forty-nine lots of pen sketches of our missionaries were prepared for use through the Department of Special Services. Reprints were authorized in an edition of 10,000 of the leaflets, *Mather School* and *Home Mission Story*, and of the *Missions* article, "We Came, We Saw, We Sobbed."

A survey was taken in an attempt to determine future procedures for *Pastors' Round Table*. A questionnaire mailed to 600 American Baptist pastors, representing eight states, brought 262 returns. The results indicated conclusively that the publication fulfills a helpful function, is read by the majority of pastors, and should be continued. At our request the ministers offered concrete suggestions for improving the paper's effectiveness. These will be incorporated in future issues.

We published the following leaflets: *Vignettes*, in an edition of 50,000; *Now, Make Your Money Work*, 5,000; *Baptist Educational Centers*, 10,000; *Whose Christian Centers?*, 20,000; *Growth Toward Integration*, 70,000; *The Answer Book of Mather School*, 5,000; and Anniversary Placemats, 15,000. We printed for the Associated Home Mission Agencies and the American Baptist Foreign Mission Societies materials, each in an edition of 10,000 for use in the presentation of new missionaries at the American Baptist Convention

in Philadelphia: Missionary Supplement, Missionary Dedication Service, and Candleholders. The *Home Mission Digest* 1957 and advertising flyers were prepared for the Associated Home Mission Agencies.

One or more feature articles on home mission subjects appeared each month in *Missions* as well as on Tidings page and full page ads. This was an unusually good year for home missions in *Crusader* where home mission subjects appeared on six of ten cover pictures.

This Department in cooperation with the Public Relations Department of the Board of Education and Publication produced the materials for the *America for Christ Offering* using the theme, *America for Christ Begins With You*.

The Secretary of the Department made her first field trip to Alaska and spent time at each American Baptist station and then made a swing around the territory.

SPECIAL SERVICES

The Department of Special Services continued to carry out the responsibilities allotted to it as a liaison between American Baptist Convention missionary and local church member. The Societies were represented by the Department Secretary in many conferences and board sessions during 1957.

The sixth annual Middlers' Conference was held in 1957 at the American Baptist Assembly. Here each agency of the Convention has an opportunity to give emphasis of its work to future pastors and missionaries and their wives. Three sessions are always allocated to home missions.

The four national mission societies held their fourteenth annual National Missions Conference at the American Baptist Assembly in August, 1957. Dr. Edward B. Willingham of the Foreign Societies was the chairman. Approximately sixty missionaries from around the world were in attendance.

The Women's Conference sponsored by the National Council of American Baptist Women met in the fourth session in the summer of 1957. The Home Mission Societies were represented by missionaries and Board and staff members. Feeling a need to cooperate more fully in the program of the National Council of American Baptist Men, the Secretary of the Department attended their conference.

The four women of the Board of our Societies serving on the Board of the National Council of American Baptist Women are Mrs. Joseph Davis, Mrs. J. C. Berg, Mrs. Wilbur Hussey, and Mrs. Harvey Vaux. Mrs. D. R. Parman serves on the Executive Committee of the National Council of American Baptist Men for the Societies.

Much attention is paid within the Department to the provision of materials for home mission study. Working on the Board of Managers of the Joint Commission on Missionary Education which plans the mission study themes makes it possible for the Secretary to share in the preparation of materials from their inception to their distribution. The theme for 1957-58,

Christ, the Church, and Race, provided an opportunity to tell the story of integration in home mission-supported projects and to relate the progress made in this field by home missionaries and volunteers. There has been close cooperation with the program packet committee of the National Council of American Baptist Women and materials supplied to them on the theme for 1958-59, *Christian Concerns of North American Neighbors*.

The 125th anniversary of The American Baptist Home Mission Society and the 80th anniversary of the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society called for extra historical research in preparation of speeches by members of the Board and programs by local groups. A drama, "Until Christ's Kingdom Shall Come," by Mrs. Ralph Brown was circulated.

The usual duties of the Department have gone on in White Cross, Speakers' Bureau, assignment of special interest missionaries and editing and circulating their letters, planning commissioning services for new missionaries and services of recognition of years of service and retirement. With Overseas White Cross of the W.A.B.F.M.S. the White Cross Manual was revised and printed. Overland White Cross boxes sent last year totaled 15,067 with 99,731 women working on them. In the Home Missions Speakers' Bureau 430 women reported making 2,262 speeches to 91,390 people. These two reports show the great concern and interest of women in the missionary program.

An orientation session was held in September for the two new Board members elected in March and the twelve elected in May. In January and November orientation sessions were held for new state and city executive secretaries.

TOWN AND COUNTRY

As the national work with town and country churches developed, it became evident that first, there is a real need for program assistance to rural churches, and second, the geographical location of a church does make a difference. From both these starting points there developed in recent years an area consciousness in rural church work which will have more meaning in the future. In 1957 area conferences for ministers and laymen of several states in a given region were held in Walla Walla, Wash.; Evansville, Ind.; and Wellsboro, Pa. A somewhat similar meeting was held in Rochester, N. Y., at which student pastors from the Colgate Rochester Divinity School and rural pastors of the area met together. An important interdenominational conference on churchmanship in the northern great plains states met in Billings, Mont.

All of these meetings provided opportunities for the "grass roots" to express itself. Many wholesome suggestions for denominational leaders and local churches emerged from the seminars and discussion groups. All the recommendations are being refined and funneled to the national convocation scheduled for 1959. If early indications are correct, this convocation will be a historic one which may produce some of the most significant results yet obtained to date. The launching of a program tailored to a long range strategy by the Commission on Rural Advance is scheduled for this conference.

Much of the rural church work done is conducted among American Baptists by faithful state directors of town and country work. The annual post American Baptist Convention meeting of these men is a time of planning, policy making, and refining of program. The Philadelphia meeting in June, 1957, was dedicated to discussion of small churches, church clinics, literature, and techniques. There was real evidence of continued need for help for the smaller churches who have a sense of being forgotten in the larger denominational program.

The Rural Church Center had over one hundred students enrolled in four schools in 1957, the largest enrollment in its history. Five schools are planned for 1958. Each school has a given emphasis which consists of church program, group dynamics, ministry in sparsely populated areas, or ministry in the rural-urban fringe. One school each year is an interdenominational school sponsored jointly by the Rural Church Center and the Wisconsin Council of Churches.

As our Societies participated actively in the Central States Project which concluded in 1957 so they have a part in the New England States Project and cooperate with other agencies in seeking to provide a ministry there that is adequate for our time. The great need for a migrant ministry in many parts of our nation is also the concern of this Department which makes its contribution for this ministry through the National Council of Churches.

Once again at Philadelphia it was possible to recognize many years of outstanding rural ministry by presenting the Rosa O. Hall awards to Arthur Wild, East Brookfield, Mass.; Thomas J. Eastes, Delbarton, W. Va.; Charles Sanford and Mrs. Lourinda Sanford, Wilmington and South Newfane, Vt.; and Orey E. Crippen, Rutland, Pa.

CONCLUSION

The American Baptist Home Mission Societies came into being in the wake of the great westward migration when the need for preaching the gospel and establishing churches presented a challenge of unprecedented proportions. The situation called for the mobilization of resources on a national level.

In the beginning home missions had a geographical boundary of "out there" which in recent times shifted to "right here." Regardless of changing frontiers, the basic purpose of the Societies has remained the same; to preach the gospel, establish churches, and give support to the ministry among the destitute, wherever they are not provided for elsewhere, within the general confines of North America. Toward these ends were directed the endeavors of home mission personnel in 1957 as in all previous years.

The year just closed was a momentous one for it was the second year of critical self-analysis for the Societies. The self-study began with an examination of the issues facing home missions today and explored the role of the Societies in dealing with those issues. The findings of the self-study will become the basis of the reorganization of the administrative structure of the Societies.

The intensive self-examination with its resultant structural changes must not become an end in itself but an instrument to be utilized for the increas-

ingly effective implementation of the home missions task. As 1957 ends it is our prayer that the function of the Societies in years to come may be one of continuing usefulness in responding to the high calling of God in Christ to win North America for Christ and make His Kingdom a reality in the hearts and lives of men.

Mrs. J. A. Hennemann

Mrs. J. A. Hennemann died on December 7, 1957. She served with her husband during the states, years of service in a religious ministry in New York state.

Mrs. Ruth Fries Cochran

Mrs. Ruth Fries Cochran died on March 5, 1957 in Kansas. She was a member of the Women's Society in Kansas and in the States. She served from 1947-1952 and as a low service from 1952-1957.

Mrs. John A. Fouts

Mrs. John A. Fouts died on February 20, 1957. During the past several years in Japan, Mr. and Mrs. Fouts worked under appointment of the Home Mission Society in relocation centers in Japan.

Robert Gordon Frazier

Robert Gordon Frazier, pastor in Hanford, was killed on June 12, 1957.

Mrs. Ruth Hines

Mrs. Ruth Hines died on June 31, 1957. She was a member of the Home Mission Society in Hanford and served during the years in San Francisco as a minister in 1935 and served during the years in San Francisco at the Home Mission in San Francisco, and at the Home Mission in Hanford. She died in Hanford.

Mrs. Vernon C. Kessler

Mrs. Vernon C. Kessler died on September 14, 1957. He had served as president of the Baptist Educational Training School since 1952. Previously he had been pastor of Baptist churches in Toronto, Ont. and Shelton, Conn. He had also served as a missionary.

Mr. John C. Killian

Mr. John C. Killian died on June 15, 1957. He worked long and faithfully in the Baptist and Church of the Evangelists and is survived by Mrs. Killian, an honorary member of the Board.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Mattie Anderson

Mrs. Mattie Anderson died on February 1, 1957. She was a missionary of the Woman's Society in 1916 and again from 1919 until her retirement in 1943. She served for many years as Director of the Gleiss Memorial Christian Center in Detroit.

Mrs. J. A. Beuermann

Mrs. J. A. Beuermann died on November 9, 1957. She served with her husband during his many years of service as a colporter missionary in New York State.

Mrs. Ruth Price Cochran

Mrs. Ruth Price Cochran died on March 5, 1957, in Pennsylvania. She was a missionary of the Woman's Society in Russian work in the San Francisco area from 1918-1929 and at Crow Agency, Mont., among the Indians from 1929 until her retirement in 1933.

Mrs. John A. Foote

Mrs. John A. Foote died on February 20, 1957. During the war years, following service in Japan, Dr. and Mrs. Foote worked under appointment of the Home Mission Society in relocation centers in Colorado.

Pasteur Servius Guerrier

Pasteur Servius Guerrier, pastor in Haiti for many years, died on January 23, 1957.

Miss Ruth Hunter

Miss Ruth Hunter, while serving as a missionary at The Mather School, died after a long and painful illness, on June 21, 1957. She was commissioned as a missionary in 1926 and served among the Chinese in San Francisco, at the Indian Mission in Fallon, Nev., and at the Mexican Center in Fresno, Calif., before taking up the work in 1948 at Mather.

Rev. Werner G. Keucher

Rev. Werner G. Keucher died on September 18, 1957. He had served as president of the Baptist Missionary Training School since 1953. Previously he had been pastor of Baptist churches in Pontiac, Ill., and Shelton, Conn. He had also served as an Army chaplain.

Dr. John C. Killian

Dr. John C. Killian died on June 17, 1957. He rendered long and distinguished service in the Colporter and Chapel Car work of the denomination and is survived by Mrs. Killian, an honorary member of the Boards.

Miss Mary W. Merriam

Miss Mary W. Merriam died on September 16, 1957, following a short illness. Miss Merriam graduated from the Baptist Missionary Training School in 1901. Beginning her work in New York City, she went to Cuba in 1903 under the auspices of the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society. Later she served at Benedict College in South Carolina and from 1931 to 1936 was matron at the Spanish-American Baptist Seminary in Los Angeles.

Dr. George Caleb Moor

Dr. George Caleb Moor, pastor emeritus of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church of New York City, died on June 17, 1957. He is survived by his wife, former president and now honorary member of the Boards, and a daughter, Mrs. E. A. Williford, a former member of the Board of the Woman's Society.

Miss Otilie Pechous

Miss Otilie Pechous died on May 5, 1957. She was appointed as a missionary of the Woman's Society in 1918 and served until her retirement in May, 1957. She served in Cleveland, Ohio; Katherine House, East Chicago, Ind.; Bethel Neighborhood House, Kansas City, Kans.; Fellowship House, Omaha, Nebr.; Olivet Christian Center, Chicago, Ill.; and Gleiss Memorial Christian Center, Detroit, Mich.

Rev. George F. Rector

Rev. George F. Rector, Town and Country pastor at North Las Vegas, Nev., since 1954, died suddenly at the age of fifty-one, on October 3, 1957, ending a strenuous life of service.

Rev. P. E. Saltarelli

Rev. P. E. Saltarelli died on December 27, 1957. He served as missionary among the Italians for various periods from 1909 to 1949, chiefly in New York State.

Mrs. Nora M. Sannella

Mrs. Nora M. Sannella died on April 10, 1957. She and her husband, Rev. Francisco Sannella, worked for many years among the Italians.

Miss Ina Shaw

Miss Ina Shaw died on December 20, 1957. A graduate of the Baptist Missionary Training School, she served as a missionary and later as preceptress at the school. She then became Western Counselor for the Woman's Society, which position she held until her retirement because of illness.

THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETIES

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 Barocio, Mrs. Rosa Navarro vda. de
 Barrios, Juana
 Bartel, Amelia
 Beers, Rev. and Mrs. G. Pitt
 Beeson, Steve
 Beliasov, Mrs. Nellie C.
 Bewsey, Jennie
 Biro, Rev. and Mrs. Michael
 Blinzinger, Rev. and Mrs. A. C.
 Botka, Mrs. Julia
 Bowler, Mrs. Elma F.
 Bratcher, Rev. and Mrs. M. E.
 Brimson, Alice W. S.
 Brouillette, Rev. and Mrs. Oliva
 Brown, Dr. Edwin R.
 Buffa, Mrs. Florence A.
 Burton, Ina E.
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 Cardo, Rev. and Mrs. Vito
 Cotto-Reyes, Rev. and Mrs. H.
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 Dauda, Mrs. Mary
 Davis, Ella
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 Kidston, Rubina
 Killian, Luella A.
 King, Mrs. Harriet R.
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Kovacs, Rev. and Mrs. Nicholas
 Loja, Rev. and Mrs. John Gomes
 LoPresti, Rev. and Mrs. Salvatore
 Lund, Jean O.
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 McDonald, Mrs. Elizabeth M.
 McNeill, Edgar F.
 Major, Rev. and Mrs. Michael
 Mann, Mary A.
 Miller, Gertrude
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 Mitchell, Rev. and Mrs. Grover C.
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 Smith, Mrs. Blanche V.
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 Stumpf, Rev. and Mrs. Louis
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LATIN AMERICAN APPRAISAL

Current Trends

We constantly study and evaluate our work because this is a proper procedure in any enterprise. Constant study is peculiarly necessary in Latin America because the pressures of economics, government regulations, population shifts, and explosive forces demand constant appraisal of projects and methods. Since the resources of the church are able to meet only a small part of great need, what is done must be that which gives promise of making the most significant contribution to the work of the Kingdom.

A study of the reports from Latin America will show many reasons for satisfaction of accomplishment as well as for frustration from unmet needs. The six General Missionaries from Latin America met in New York in September. A large part of their time together was given to the appraisal of the work. The areas of strength, as well as those of weakness, were frankly studied. Some of the results of that appraisal appear in the following reports.

Cuba—Oscar Rodriguez, General Missionary

First Missionary—1899

First Church—1899

Colegios Internacionales—1907

Eastern Cuba Baptist Theological Seminary—1949

At the close of 1957 we asked several people to give us a statement regarding the year just ending. A mother who had lost two sons in the revolution said that it was a year of great distress. A business man said that it was a hard year. A public school teacher called it a difficult year. A pastor thought that it was a year of great victories. A seminary student said that the year was one of growth in his personal Christian experience. There is truth in each statement. Through all these experiences, our people thank God for another year with more conversions and baptisms reported than in previous years.

The Christian Witness

As reported last year, revolutionary conditions in the Island resulted in limitations on evangelistic activities in the churches. Some pastors were molested in the performance of their duties. Most evening services were held in the afternoon and many outstations were forced to discontinue services because of regulations which controlled meetings in places other than in recognized church buildings. The curfew prevented anyone from being away from home after dark. Conditions were worse in rural areas near sugar plantations.

Nevertheless, the witness of the gospel continued. Much personal work was done with positive results. New faces were seen in the churches and a desire to know more of the gospel increased. The Bible was sold in amazing numbers to people who had no connection with the church. Thirteen weekly radio broadcasts from our churches maintained contacts in areas where the gospel could not otherwise have been preached. This experience led many pastors to start a weekly radio program. One of our pastors, whose name must be withheld, accomplished an unusual piece of missionary work. He was located in the very heart of the area of revolutionary activities, surrounded by military forces, for whom in the circumstances he became a chaplain.

Another significant evangelistic channel was the dispensary operated by the Third Baptist Church in Santiago de Cuba. The pastor and the home visitation missionary witnessed to hundreds of mothers and children every week as doctors gave their professional voluntary services. Parents became receptive to the gospel when invited to attend the religious services of the church.

The Educational Ministry

Attendance at the day schools and at Colegios Internacionales increased 60 per cent in 1957. One reason for this increase was the desire of the parents to have their children exposed to the Christian influence of our schools. Others chose our schools because they offered more security for the children in these days of unrest and confusion.

The educational program of our schools constitutes a phase of evangelism which brings positive results in terms of changed lives and homes influenced by the gospel.

A significant forward step in Christian education was the acquisition of Villa Teresita in the province of Camaguey. Thanks to a grant received from the American Baptist Home Mission Societies, we were able to purchase a lovely estate for use as conference grounds for the Cuban Baptist Convention. A drive was planned to raise funds for the promotion of that new center of interest for Baptists in Eastern Cuba. Many vacation church schools could not be held because of political conditions.

Seminary Training

Five young men and two young women completed their four-year program of seminary training and received their diplomas on October 10, 1957, the date of the seminary's eighth anniversary. On the same day a new class consisting of seven young men and two young women was admitted. The graduates immediately accepted missionary assignments.

At the annual meeting of the seminary board of managers, an expansion drive was adopted which called for the raising of \$40,000. Included in the plan are a chapel, a library building, sleeping quarters, and an administration building with facilities for a kitchen and dining hall. The money is to be raised over a five-year period from among the churches in Cuba, friends in and outside of Cuba, and an expected grant from the Home Mission

Societies. Meeting the need is imperative if we are to continue to function as one of the major evangelical groups in this country.

Several significant events occurred during the year. One of the educational units of the Guantanamo church was destroyed by fire. Thanks to help received from the American Baptist Home Mission Societies plus the assistance given by American Baptist Chaplain Peter R. McPhee of the Naval Base, the building was made ready for use when classes started in September. Professor Adolfo Ham represented the evangelical churches of Cuba at meetings held in Puerto Rico during the summer for leaders of various denominations interested in studying missionary strategy for the Caribbean area. Dr. Wilbur Larson and Dr. Lincoln B. Wadsworth visited the Cuba Mission and were able to visit San German and Cueto where two new church buildings were constructed through facilities made possible by the Department of Edifice Funds and Building Counsel.

Miss Elizabeth Allport and Miss Juana Barrios retired after long years of faithful service as missionaries of the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society. We sent out 1,500 copies of the *Eastern Cuba Baptist News*, which is published and circulated to friends of the Cuba Mission. After six months' furlough in the United States, the General Missionary and his wife returned with renewed enthusiasm for the great task of confronting Cuba with the claims of Jesus Christ.

Haiti—Stanford C. Kelly, General Missionary

First Missionary—1924

First Church—1847

Baptist Seminary—1947

Clinic and Dispensary—1953

Ten months of revolution and unrest with seven different governments have left their mark. Our people and our churches have been through a time of trial and suffering. It will be a long way back for our poor country, but the newly elected government of Francois Duvalier gives promise of establishing the same measure of liberty and freedom as we have known in the past.

For the first time we have a strong Protestant voice in the government with two Baptist Senators and two Protestants in the House. One of the first acts of President Duvalier was to call all the Protestant pastors and missionaries to the National Palace. Such an act was unprecedented.

Financial Conditions

Not within living memory has Haiti had a year as difficult as 1957. With no stable government and no money in the treasury, public works projects were almost all abandoned. Tourist trade was crippled; business was at a standstill. Coupled with all this we had the longest and severest drought in living memory. The need of food and clothing was critical. Conditions are beginning to improve but it will be a long time before they will be back to normal.

It was only through gifts of surplus food from the United States sent to us through Church World Service that hundreds of our people were kept alive. The missionaries spent much time and strength in the distribution of food and clothing. There was never enough to go around. Scores of our Christian families, unable to pay rent, were turned out of their homes. Through money gifts from numerous friends and churches in the States we built fifty rooms at an average cost of \$50 to provide shelter for fifty families.

The American Baptist Convention helped with thousands of dollars for relief. The Czechoslovak Baptist Convention after a visit to Haiti by their Secretary, Rev. Vincent Stupka, was generous beyond all measure. The Home Mission Societies gave much extra help to pay the salaries of school teachers and other workers which the churches were unable to pay. The Alpha Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa., paid for hundreds of dollars worth of tuberculosis drugs and also gave money to build a whole row of rooms, designated as Alpha Street. Assistance from the American Baptist Convention enabled us to give seed to scores of farmers who had none, buy materials for artisans and craftsmen, procure medicines for the sick, and establish a small loan fund to meet pressing needs.

The total income of our churches for 1957 was only 25 per cent of what it was in 1956. This meant real sacrifice on the part of pastors and teachers who had to accept a considerable reduction in salary. Most churches were unable to make any payments on their building loans. In spite of this, sacrificial giving to our missionary fund permitted our work in the Dominican Republic to be maintained.

Seminary and Summer Conferences

This year marked the tenth anniversary of the Haitian Baptist Seminary. Special services were held in October to celebrate the occasion. It would be difficult to overestimate the contribution made by the seminary to the work in Haiti. Fourteen pastors have been trained and two others have received partial training. These men are now in charge of churches with a total membership of 12,000.

In addition to the training of pastors, our summer program of camps and conferences made a great impact on the work. This program included the pastors' retreat, a camp for boys, a camp for girls, leadership training for Sunday school and day school teachers, and a two-weeks' Bible institute for lay preachers. Because of the bad economic situation, we believed that the camps and conferences this year would be smaller than ever. To our surprise and satisfaction they were actually the largest we have had. Having no money for bus fare, some men walked forty miles to attend. As an outreach of this program we began regional conferences in churches at Port-au-Prince, Marigot, and Maissade.

We plan to change our seminary program from three nine-month to four seven-month years. This will give us two more months each year for conferences and institutes in churches. During this year, thanks to the generous help of friends in the States, a new dormitory was built at the seminary, in addition to a camp fire circle and amphitheater which seats four hundred.

Medical Work

Our medical work suffered many setbacks during the year. Our nurse, Millicent Engel, left Haiti last December and soon after this, Mrs. Fontus, our only fully trained Haitian nurse, resigned because of ill health. The nurses aids carried on with the help of the local government doctor who gave us two mornings each week, but gradually the number of patients diminished as many preferred to walk four miles to the Wesleyan Methodist Mission in Port Margot where there are an American doctor and American nurses.

Dr. William Hodges was appointed by our Societies for work in Haiti, but because of political unrest and the opposition of the Haitian Health Department he has not yet been able to obtain a visa to enter Haiti.

There was a great increase of tuberculosis as a result of semi-starvation conditions through which the country passed. Through the generous help of the Alpha Baptist Church of Philadelphia and Dr. Howard Baker of the Temple University Hospital we received a large shipment of tuberculosis drugs which undoubtedly saved many lives.

Pastoral Changes and New Work

Two new churches were organized during the year, one at St. Raphael and one at Petionville. We soon purchased land and then we received a small legacy from Fremont, Nebraska, which is being used to build a memorial chapel at St. Raphael. Petionville was formerly the residential area for the wealthy people of Port-au-Prince. Many of these people have now moved farther out and Petionville has grown into a new city of about 30,000. The conversation of two women of a prominent Catholic family gave much impetus to the beginning of a new church in the city.

The Rev. Mr. St. Phard left his one thousand-member church at Limbe to become the pastor of this new church with less than twenty members. Already he has conducted one baptismal service and another group of thirty persons is being prepared for baptism. The church has no building as yet and is meeting in the home of one of the members.

With the transfer of Mr. St. Phard to Petionville, Harold Heneise became the pastor of the big church at Limbe, in addition to his duties as director of the seminary. Pastor Guerrier at St. Michel died early this year, and Pastor Lubin, the assistant at Cap Haitien, was released to the St. Michel church.

Agricultural Mission

A small beginning was made in the field of agricultural work to help the poor peasant farmers produce more and better crops. The near starvation conditions that prevailed this year made this need urgent.

A young man, Eliska Montreuil, who was converted some years ago in our summer camp, graduated recently from the government farm school at Plaisance and became the teacher in the primary school at the seminary. He immediately set about teaching the children to grow vegetables which had never been grown in that part of the country. He understands the needs of

the people and has practical ideas as to how to help them. We purchased a few acres of land near the school where a small demonstration farm will be established for the purpose of producing crops and introducing better breeds of goats and chickens.

Every year about five hundred young people and lay workers come to the seminary for summer camps and conferences. We hope that what they see on the farm will encourage them to want to learn how to do the same things on their land. This project is being made possible through special gifts received for this purpose, chiefly from the First Baptist Church, Denver, Colo., whose pastor, Dr. Elroy Shikles, was with a group of visitors in Haiti early in 1957. He saw the need and made it known to his congregation, who responded with their help.

Schools

Our schools had a tremendous struggle during the year. Most of them pay their teachers from student fees. This year the parents could pay nothing because they had no work, no crops, no money. Only the special aid from the Home Mission Societies and the spirit of sacrifice and devotion of the teachers who stood by in spite of reduced salaries, enabled us to keep the schools open. The school in Cap Haitien, Colege Pratique du Nord, was the hardest hit, as it has to maintain a large staff of qualified teachers. This is now a coeducational school with twelve grades.

For a long time we searched without success for land on which to build an adequate building for this school. At last we have a suitable site, the gift of the Haitian government in recognition of the value of this school. We are now engaged in raising funds with which to start building.

Visitors to Haiti

Many of those who had planned to visit us this year were obliged to cancel their visits due to the upset political situation. We were pleased, however, to have with us Rev. and Mrs. Vincent Stupka of Chicago, Ill. He is Secretary of the Czechoslovak Baptist Convention of the United States. This convention for several years has been interested in our work in Haiti and supports six pastors and other workers.

In February we had another group of visitors, many of them Board members or Secretaries of the Home Mission Societies. Their visit was in connection with the celebrations of the 125th anniversary of The American Baptist Home Mission Society and the 80th anniversary of the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society. Special services were held in Cap Haitien and Port-au-Prince. In addition, our visitors were able to see churches all over the country. They also saw something of the living conditions produced by a year of revolution and drought.

Visitors from Haiti to the United States

Our Haitian field was well represented in the United States during the year. Rev. Zenas Yeghoyan spent four months in the States doing deputation work. He returned to Haiti just in time for our summer camps and confer-

ences. As soon as conferences were over, the General Missionary attended the meeting of the Latin American General Missionaries in New York, September 15-28, and then gave ten weeks to deputation work in ten states.

In addition to missionaries who visited the United States, we have had three students at the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Pa. Rev. Neptune Daniel, pastor of the church at Hinche, is taking a year of special studies. Rev. Luc Neree, who has just completed his seminary work, was ordained at the Overbrook Baptist Church and expects to establish new work in or near Port-au-Prince. Mercel Remy, a graduate of the Haitian Baptist Seminary, is now a student at Eastern. Each of the three has had many opportunities to visit churches to tell of the work in Haiti.

In October Rev. F. Lariviere of Gonaives, Haiti, was brought to the States by the church which supports him, the Scranton Road Baptist Church of Cleveland, Ohio. After speaking there and in several other Czechoslovakian churches, he spent a month doing deputation work in American Baptist churches in Illinois, Massachusetts, and Maine.

Puerto Rico—Aaron F. Webber, *General Missionary*

First Missionary—1899

First Church—1899

Evangelical Seminary—1919

Baptist Academy—1926

The year 1957 will perhaps not be as easily characterized by some outstanding event or development within our work as other years of our history have been. Nevertheless, it was a year of growth in the churches with an increasing sense of responsibility for the work carried forward in the midst of tremendous social and economic changes.

Changes

Puerto Rico receives the impact both of the deep and sweeping changes which are characteristic of Latin America and also of the type of social transformation that is going on in the United States.

When our first missionaries came to this subtropical Island, the population was 85 per cent rural. In 1950 only 60 per cent of the people lived in rural areas. If we may assume a continuing trend in the past seven years, we may consider that about half the population lived in cities by 1957. With this change from a rural to an urban population has come the transformation of an agricultural life to largely industrial civilization.

Here is an Island which in 1899 had one public school and a few private educational institutions. Now schools are provided for most of the children. Every city and town in the Island has its high school. There are three universities, the University of Puerto Rico, with more than 13,000 students in its various schools and colleges; the Presbyterian Interamerican University at San German; and the University of Santa Maria in Ponce. There are also several junior colleges. Thus in education, as in public health and many other aspects, Puerto Rico underwent a remarkable transformation.

Churches

In the midst of this striking development, there is not a sufficient number of well-trained ministers for our churches. The churches continue to be especially concerned about evangelism. The Adjuntas church, which in 1956 had a home visitation evangelism campaign, has continued the same type of work with impressive results. This has been the experience of Caguas and of a number of other churches. Others which have not used the home visitation plan as such nevertheless are doing constant evangelistic work and are using lay people effectively. A great deal of prayer and planning this year was directed toward the coming of Billy Graham for an evangelistic campaign in January, 1958.

An obvious indication of the strength of our churches is the increase in the assumption of financial responsibilities. During this year the reconstructed church building at Cayey with its two-story annex was dedicated. In Carolina a four-room annex was built on the church property and the parsonage was remodeled into two complete apartments. In Corral Viejo a beautiful church edifice was erected. In Sion a parsonage was built on the church property. All of these projects were accomplished through great sacrifice on the part of the local congregations and through loans obtained from the Home Mission Societies.

Education

Our contribution to education in Puerto Rico is on the increase. In spite of the fact that there are school facilities for most of the children, there are relative inadequacies in many areas and the demands for a constantly improved type of education leaves an opening where we can serve. Our schools still lead the way in standards of education. The religious and moral ideals of our schools make them attractive to many parents. The extensive use of English in private schools is an attraction for students. These factors create an opportunity to win young people at a vital time in their lives and to influence the country's future leaders.

The Baptist Academy at Barranquitas with 210 students had the largest enrollment in its history. This is the maximum which can be accommodated without enlarged facilities. In the past year it was possible to do a considerable amount of repairing of the buildings and equipment. The Parent-Teachers' Association, including graduates and friends of the school, has a vigorous organization which has undertaken the raising of a fund toward the building of a new girls' dormitory. Several schools connected with local churches reached the point where they became incorporated entities, their boards named by the church in each case.

Christian Education

A special project of the committee on Christian education this year was the preparation of a course for candidates for baptism. The series of camps for various age groups continues to prepare the leadership for our churches. This year witnessed the expansion of this program by the organization of a camp for junior age boys and girls.

In the pastors' and missionaries' institutes the emphasis for the second successive year was on Bible study and methods of Bible study. The special teacher was Dr. Dean G. McKee, president of The Biblical Seminary, New York, N. Y.

Planning

A highlight of the year in terms of our planning was the visit of Dr. Lincoln B. Wadsworth and Dr. Wilbur Larson in regard to the relationship of the building program of our churches to church extension and the loan program of the Home Mission Societies. These consultations produced fruit in the execution of new plans of expansion and growth.

Travel

The General Missionary was away from the field for the last three and one-half months of the year. His responsibilities were carried capably by national leaders, especially Rev. Luis F. Mercado, pastor in Caguas.

The travels and work of the missionary, although outside of Puerto Rico, had relation to the work here. Two weeks were spent with the other General Missionaries of Latin America in the conference held with the Secretary for Latin America and others at the Board rooms in New York. A considerable time was given to deputation work, particularly in California, Nevada, North Dakota, and Iowa. Attendance at the Urban Convocation held in Indianapolis, Ind., the National Council of Churches Assembly, and finally a visit to our mission work in the Belgian Congo and attendance at the International Missionary Council Assembly in Ghana, Africa, are all of immediate value in missionary labors.

Interdenominational Work

We continue our cooperation with and support of the Evangelical Council of Puerto Rico. This organization coordinates Protestant efforts in Puerto Rico in many fields, including important chaplaincies in the University of Puerto Rico and other institutions, the leprosarium, the insular prison, and the tuberculosis sanatorium. The Puerto Rico *Evangelico* press and magazine continue to serve our cause in these two important areas. It is urgent that the press be brought to the San Juan area and reorganized for still greater service.

In interdenominational work the outstanding achievement has been the erection of a new main building at the Evangelical Seminary. This was made possible by grants totaling \$50,000 from the six societies which hold equities in the seminary corporation, and the successful local campaign for \$30,000. The result is that the old frame building has been replaced by one which not only serves excellently for classrooms, library and reading room, administrative and academic offices, kitchen and dining room, and chapel, but also speaks eloquently to the community of our seminary as an evangelical institution.

During the process of construction of this building Rev. Thomas J. Liggett, for a number of years missionary pastor and seminary professor of the Disciples of Christ mission in Paraguay and Argentina, was installed as

president of the institution. His personality and ability contribute greatly to the strengthening of the seminary in the confidence of people both here and in the United States.

With the improvement of facilities and the naming of the president has come an increase in enrollment. While the student body is still small, we have solid reason to believe that very soon our seminary will be training fifty or sixty men for the ministry in Protestant churches in this Island, Santo Domingo, and the Spanish-speaking churches of the United States and other lands.

Mexico—Donato Ramirez, General Missionary

First Missionary—1870

First Church—1864

Hospital Latino Americano—1918

Baptist Seminary of Mexico City—1947

The year 1957 was a significant year in Mexico. It marked the centennial of the Reform Laws of the National Constitution. These established separation of church and state and freedom of worship, as well as other measures for the continual march of the freedom so necessary for the progress of a nation. Baptists, although a part of the evangelical believers who are a minority in the nation, have had a wonderful opportunity to show the real way of being free. Upon the call of the state for leaders with the spirit of the political reformers of a century ago to lead the nation in ascending ways, Baptists had an opportunity to uphold the principles and practices of the way of life as found in the Word of God. The gospel can now be understood more clearly as the only hope for salvation of the individual. To uphold the truth of the gospel will not be considered as treason but as true patriotism, for saved people through the grace of Christ are a blessing to any nation. This is the present opportunity not only for Baptists but for all believers in the Word of God.

The Convention

We have one nation-wide convention in Mexico. All churches of American, Southern, and Mexican Baptist Convention affiliations are united in one cooperative group for the evangelization of Mexico. There are approximately 190 Baptist churches in the entire country in one convention and thirteen associations. In 1957 the convention budget was the largest to date and although \$16,000 is not much to Anglo-American Baptists, to us its equivalent of 200,000 pesos is a great deal. Indications are that this objective will be surpassed. The convention supports twenty-five missionary pastors in young churches and mission fields which are not yet self-supporting. The denominational paper is put out by the convention. It was my joy to serve again as convention treasurer, managing finances and paying salaries and other expenses within the budget. American Baptists have cooperated with the National Convention by allowing me to serve in this capacity.

Seminaries

There are three Baptist seminaries in the country. The American Baptist seminary is located in Mexico 22, D. F., or Tlalpam. The one affiliated with

Southern Baptists is in Torreon, Coahuila, and that of the National Convention is in Guadalajara, Jalisco. The need for the preparation of competent ministers is demonstrated by the fact that all over the country there are pastorless churches. It is a fact that young men with university training do not respond to the call of the ministry.

In our seminary at Tlalpam, D. F., we help the ministerial students to continue beyond the seminary training into the university, for if we do not get university students for the ministry we must help ministers go through the university. At the present time seven ministerial students from our seminary are taking university training. In this manner our seminary is raising the ministerial standards of our country. We cannot wait until the churches will be able to pay salaries which will raise the standards by appealing to students of higher education. Instead, we assist capable young people in obtaining advanced formal preparation.

Our seminary is only ten years old. We have fifteen students and graduates serving Baptist churches throughout the country. The present enrollment is twenty students. Three courses are given. The theological initiation is for those who have had only primary school training. The bachelor of theology degree is offered to those with secondary training and next year this requirement will be raised to bachelor degree training. The Bachelor of Divinity degree is for those who have a professional degree.

El Salvador—Thomas F. F. Dixon, *General Missionary*

First Missionary—1912

First Church—1912

Colegio Bautista, Santa Ana—1917

Colegio Bautista, San Salvador—1924

The past year was marked by a series of "firsts." The beginning of the year found us engaged in a Central American student conference in our Santa Ana school buildings. This conference, under the auspices of the World Student Christian Federation, was the first held in Central America and was a great experience for the young people who attended.

Early in March we had the unforgettable pleasure of receiving the first home mission tour of Central America. The group of twenty-seven people included four Board members, Mrs. H. L. Camp, Mrs. W. Lake, Mrs. H. E. Vaux and Mr. Duncan Dunbar, as well as Rev. Clifford G. Hansen, Secretary of Public Relations of the Home Mission Societies, and Dr. Wilbur Larson, Secretary for Latin America. From March 4 to 8 these guests visited points of interest and the Baptist work of El Salvador. This was the first time that such a group had visited El Salvador and commemorating as it did the respective anniversaries of The American and the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Societies the occasion will long be remembered by the Baptists of El Salvador.

In September another important "first" occurred when the American Baptist Home Mission Societies called together the six General Missionaries from the Latin American fields of Cuba, Haiti, Mexico, Nicaragua, Puerto

Rico, and El Salvador for ten days of conference in New York and Atlantic City, N. J. This was a worthwhile meeting which is expected to produce lasting results for the furtherance of the work.

The Need for Pastors

The church in San Salvador was served all year by Rev. J. E. Cedarholm, who had to commute from Santa Ana, forty-five miles away. Rev. Pedro Abella of Cuba helped for a time.

With the watch-night service on December 31, Rev. Agustin Ruiz closed his pastorate and returned home to Nicaragua, leaving the Santa Ana church, our largest, without a pastor. Several smaller churches are also pastorless or served by neighboring pastors who cannot give them adequate attention.

Pastors' Institutes

Following the Home Mission Tour of Central America, Rev. and Mrs. George J. Bennett remained for a pastors' institute. They taught courses in Bible, stewardship, and music. The missionaries also taught classes. We had a pastor's institute at the time of the visit of the Abellas from Cuba. Mr. Abella taught courses on the life of Jesus and evangelism. His wife gave classes on teaching reading to illiterates and classes for women.

Evangelism

We again exceeded all previous years in the number of baptisms and continued to make slow but steady gains in membership and Sunday school attendance. Our offerings are almost the same.

Pastors assisted each other in evangelistic campaigns. The young people in Santa Ana and in San Salvador conducted radio programs. Mr. Abella led special services in the Santa Ana church and schools and an evangelistic campaign in the San Salvador church. In November, Rev. Francisco Lemus came from the States to give leadership in a successful campaign in San Salvador and other parts of the country.

Baptist Schools

In May, Mr. and Mrs. Cedarholm took possession of their new house, built on the grounds of Colegio Bautista in Santa Ana. A wing of this house was financed by the First Baptist Church of Hollywood, Calif., and will be used as a boys' dormitory. Dr. Harold Proppe, pastor of the Hollywood church, came for the dedicatory services.

Other visitors during their vacation from the schools in the States were Mrs. Agnes T. Beckwith and Miss Nellie J. Overhulser from Washington, D. C. For several weeks they stayed at the school and gave freely of their time and energy in teaching English.

To help during the coming year while Miss Ruth Carr and Mrs. Grace French Hatler will be on furlough, Mrs. Courtney Rudd Bixby returned to Salvador and is stationed in Santa Ana. Miss Mary Mills went from Usulután to Santa Ana to help in the school during this time.

Missionary Honored

One of the outstanding happenings of the year was the recognition of Miss Evalena McCutcheon by the Ministry of Defense. At a special ceremony in the Military Casino, the Minister of Defense bestowed upon her a beautiful Elgin watch as teacher of the year in private schools. Miss McCutcheon was the recipient of many honors and gifts in recognition of her long and excellent services rendered to the country through Colegio Bautista in San Salvador.

Continued Progress

This little country continues to make great progress. Many buildings, most of them large and beautiful and almost all of them of modern construction, have been erected in recent years. Construction of highways to all parts of the country continues. Parks and city streets are constantly improved and beautified. Everywhere beautiful schools are being built, but these and the University cannot accommodate the thousands of children and young people who seek admission. The night schools are filled with young people and adults.

This is a period of great change and progress, of opportunity and challenge. Men everywhere turn to books and to learning. As they turn to science to learn how to get more bread, we are mindful of Him who said: "Man shall not live by bread alone but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." Our mission is to proclaim that message in El Salvador.

Nicaragua—Leonard D. Wilson, *General Missionary*

First Missionary—1916

First Church—1917

Colegio Bautista, Managua—1918

Hospital Bautista, Managua—1930

As the year comes to a close, one naturally pauses for a moment and asks what was accomplished. There are, of course, tangible events that mark definite gain and there are the intangible but, whether tangible or intangible, there is this thing called Christian spirit — its presence gives an air of accomplishment. We feel it in our work in Nicaragua and for it we are grateful to God.

Churches

A highlight among our churches and the work in general was the dedication of the new building of the First Baptist Church of Managua. The first service was held early in the morning with a great crowd in attendance. The church is surrounded by an attractive iron fence and as the gates were opened, a blind man and member of the church sang, "Open the Gates of the Temple." It was a great day for all and especially for those who had begun this great work under the direction of Dr. Arturo Parajon, who never lived to see his plan realized. In his memory the present pastor, Rev. Adolfo Robleto, presented a recording of one of Dr. Parajon's sermons and thus the first sermon to be heard in the new church was by the man who had inspired the members to begin this great project.

There were many visitors in attendance. The largest group consisted of thirty American Baptists from many states who came in a home mission tour group under the leadership of Rev. Clifford G. Hansen. Members of the group were well pleased with what they saw and heard and returned grateful that they, with a host of others, had invested in missions.

We experienced a good year in all our churches. This is evident in good attendance at church services, expansion into new areas, and increased emphasis upon self-support. A number of churches benefited greatly by loans from the Home Mission Societies. The Masetepe Church, for example, received a \$10,000 loan to complete its church building program. This service is a great help in building our work and still keeping it on an indigenous basis.

Leadership Training

In the past year, three institutes for pastors were held. These are designed to give inspiration to our pastors on the fields. We have used outside speakers but our own pastors make their contributions through devotionals and special study projects. In the past year two institutes for lay workers were held. These were made possible by the help of Dr. Jose M. Ruiz, who took time off from his busy schedule at the seminary to direct this program.

The Christian education program suffered as a result of the death of Mary Butler. No one has officially taken her place. Argentina Mendoza, who worked with Miss Butler, gives some time in carrying on a part of the work.

Evangelism

A great deal of emphasis is always given to evangelism. The Evangelicals' whole standard of life is centered in Christ. They find in Him a satisfying experience that they want to share. For that reason evangelism is central. Nearly every church has special evangelistic campaigns sometime during the year, a great deal of home visitation, and, of course, evangelistic preaching on the part of the pastors.

Bookstore

For a number of years we have maintained a small bookstore at Colegio Bautista. In 1957 we moved down town. The new location opened the way for new opportunities of witness. We sell books and Bibles to people who would not come to the school or church to buy. The young lady in charge of the bookstore not only sells books but gives a Christian testimony as she makes a sale.

We are grateful to the American Bible Society for its aid in making this endeavor possible. The Society has proven extremely helpful and cooperative in the work of the mission.

Schools

Colegio Bautista in Managua is our largest project in the field of education and it has a great task to perform. There are many children who want to attend school, especially the lower grades. Last year students were turned

away because of overcrowded classrooms. A number of churches conduct day schools but are handicapped by economic conditions and the lack of trained teachers.

Personnel

Dr. and Mrs. John S. Pixley, Miss Dorothy Lincoln and Miss Marcia Cudworth were on furlough during the course of the year. Later Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson went to the States for furlough.

The work at Colegio Bautista was strengthened by the coming of the Robert Porter family. Miss Elaine Brinton was appointed as a nurse to serve at Hospital Bautista.

Summary

Big movements with far reaching effects are emerging among the people we serve in Latin America. Puerto Rico, through imaginative enterprise, good government, and generous dollar loans from the Federal government, has developed a healthy economic system. Haiti has passed through the throes of revolution and hunger into a new day of freedom and hope. Cuba has continued in its determination to achieve political freedom. The stabilized economy of Mexico encouraged growth on every level of life epitomized by Mexico City which stands shoulder to shoulder with the great cities of the world; El Salvador, small in size and population, continued to lead the way among the small republics of the world in developing progressive trade and political patterns; Nicaragua survived a major political change without turmoil and is making great strides in the development of the resources of its frontier areas.

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 Alfaro, Miguel, Tehuacan, Puebla
 Alvarado, Jose, Jaumave
 Angeles, Zenon, Emmanuel, Monterrey
 Calderon, Leandro, San Luis Potosí
 Castellanos, Angeles, Federal District
 Castellanos, Javier, Reynosa
 Castillo, Domingo, Retired
 Cruz, Isidro, Oaxaca
 Galvan, Francisco, Cadereyta
 Granados, Simon, San Pedro Graza Garcia
 Galarza, Esau, Aguascalientes
 Gonzalez, Jose Ines, San Fernando
 Jimenez, Ezequiel, Aviacion Civil
 Montemayor, C. G., Tlalpam
 Orea, Jose, Tepeix, Puebla
 Patino, Bardomiano, Mixcoac
 Picasso, Juam, Cuautla
 Pliego, Leonardo, Retired
 Rodriguez, Juan, Central Association
 Sanchez, Carlos, Pro-Hogar
 Trevino, Teodoro, Retired
 Vargas, Castro, Cuernavaca
 Velez, Jose, Atzacapotzalco

NICARAGUA

Correa, Antonio, Managua
 Downs, Longworth, Corinto
 Ledezma, Victor, Somato
 Lopez, L., Getsemani
 Ortega, Emilio, Matagalpa
 Perez, Pastor, Rivas
 Ruiz, J. M., Managua
 Tellez, A., Managua
 Umana, Gilberto, Chichigalpa
 Vega, R., Jinotepe

PUERTO RICO

Acevedo, Angel, Retired
 Almodovar, Manuel, Retired
 Camacho, Adolfo, Retired
 Caraballo, Justino, Cedros
 Casillas, Narciso, Palmer
 Crespo, Clodomiro, Rabanos
 Davila, Gerardo, Retired
 Diaz, Josue, Retired
 Diaz, Manuel, Retired
 Gomez, Carlos, Corral Viejo
 Hernandez, Juan, Cienaga Alta
 Lopez, Angel M., San Lorenzo
 Medina, Carmelo, Las Cruces
 Melendez, Jose, Toita
 Micheli, Hipolito, Ponce II
 Morales, Prudencio, Cantagallo
 Osorio, Luis A., Mediana Alta
 Perez, Enrique, Adjuntas
 Roura, Osvaldo, Rio Piedras II
 Sanchez, Manuel, Jerusalem
 Soliyan, Miguel, Cidra

Missionaries:**CUBA**

Colegios Internacionales, Cristo
 Casanella, Mario, Principal
 Casanella, Ena
 Dow, Eleanor
 Rounds, Kathleen
 Guantanamo Day School, Guantanamo
 Allport, Elizabeth
 Eastern Cuba Baptist Theological Seminary
 Barrios, Juana

EL SALVADOR

Baptist School, San Salvador
 McCutcheon, Evalena, Principal
 Baptist School, Santa Ana
 Carr, Ruth M., Principal
 Bixby, Mrs. Courtney R.
 Hatler, Mrs. Grace F.
 Mills, Mary

General Workers
 Cedarholm, Jason E.
 Cedarholm, Helen N.

HAITI

Baptist Seminary, Limbe
 Heneise, Harold K., Director
 Heneise, Ivah
 Yeghoyan, Zenas A.
 Yeghoyan, Nevart

Good Samaritan Hospital, Limbe
 Hodges, William H., Director
 Hodges, Joanna M.

MEXICO

Baptist Seminary, Mexico
 Button, Rena
 Hall, Marjorie

Mavity, L. Kenneth
 Mavity, Margaret P.

Latin American Hospital, Puebla
 Meadows, F. L., Director
 Meadows, Zula S.
 Walters, Ota G., Miahuatlan
 Wilson, Reba

NICARAGUA

Baptist School, Managua
 Wyse, Lloyd E., Director
 Wyse, Marion
 Brenner, Robert D.
 Brenner, Ellen
 Cudworth, Marcia
 Porter, Robert
 Porter, Wilma
 Tanner, Nellie C.

Baptist Hospital, Managua
 Pixley, John S., Director
 Pixley, Phoebe
 Brinton, P. Elaine
 Lincoln, Dorothy

PUERTO RICO

Baptist Academy, Barranquitas
 Maldonado, Ruth

Baptist Christian Center, Puerta de Tierra
 Nieves, Petronila

Evangelical Seminary, Rio Piedras
 Dixon, Robert William (leave of absence)
 Dixon, Annie Maud (leave of absence)

General Workers
 Quiles, Ines, Ponce
 Urbina, Petra, Caguas

Town and Country

Department Organized in 1919

BRIGHT FUTURE

JOSEPH H. HEARTBERG AND CLAYTON A. PEPPER

Current Trends

There is an increasing correlation of the work of this Department with that of other Society departments and agencies, such as the Board of Education and the Council on Missionary Cooperation. Concerns for regional needs are becoming more clearly defined in sparsely settled sections, in the rural-urban fringe, in growing industrial regions, and in cultural areas. Phases of church life which need specific attention are being uncovered, such as that of music and worship in the small church, and help in church program planning. Research procedures are discovering facts upon which to base a realistic approach to problems and opportunities in town and country fields.

Within State Borders

Much of the progress made in town and country fields throughout our convention is due to the consecrated work of state town and country directors and other state staff members who give specific attention to the needs of such fields. State town and country committees composed of pastors and lay people give freely of their time and abilities in planning and developing helpful procedures.

There are now eleven state directors of town and country work toward whose support our Societies contribute. One state supports its own director; another has a part-time volunteer director; and in three others a national staff member has field work responsibility for these churches. Twenty-four states have functioning committees on town and country work. The Nebraska Baptist State Convention added a town and country director, Rev. Roy Jones, to its staff in 1957.

Several states pioneered in new approaches to felt needs: Massachusetts with an institute on the rural-urban fringe; Ohio with a "churches of merit" program and stewardship workshops; Wisconsin with an adaptation of Every Member Canvass procedures for small churches; Iowa with church program planning meetings. New York State had exceptional success in leading rural churches in financial programs. Pennsylvania continued its fine annual town and country pastors' round-table discussions. West Virginia accomplished more than any other state in organizing Baptist multiple-church parishes.

Regional Needs

The Ohio River Valley, from Wheeling to Portsmouth, is rapidly developing into the "Ruhr of America," with huge chemical, aluminum, and allied industries. A large majority of our Baptist churches in this area are rural churches. With the changing economy they face critical problems. The

Regional Town and Country Conference at Parkersburg in the fall of 1956 recommended that a special worker be employed to help these churches. After a survey of the situation, it was decided that two workers were needed, one on each side of the river. These field workers were secured during 1957, and our Societies cooperate with the West Virginia and Ohio state conventions in their support.

Further regional conferences were held during the year at Evansville, Ind., for southern Indiana and southern Illinois; at Walla Walla, Wash., for Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and western Montana; at Wellsboro, Pa., for southern New York and northern Pennsylvania; and at the Colgate-Rochester Divinity School for the Rochester, N. Y., area. Out of the first three of these, at which attendance ranged from fifty to one hundred, came a number of specific recommendations concerning needs of town and country churches in those areas. For example, as a result of recommendations made at the Wellsboro Conference, the National Council of American Baptist Women is giving attention to the problem of how women's societies not conforming to the organizational pattern of the National Council may receive materials and suggestions from the state and national chairmen. At two of the conferences, request was made for visual materials geared to rural and small church needs. This matter is being taken up by the committee on leadership education of the Board of Education and Publication. In like manner, other recommendations are being implemented as rapidly as possible. The conference at Rochester was particularly helpful to student-served churches.

The two-year Central States Project, in which our Societies cooperated with other agencies of the denomination, came to a formal close at the end of 1957, with definite progress made in plans for recruitment, training, placement, and support of pastors for small churches. A continuation committee was set up to further implement these plans. Based on the experience here, a somewhat similar project was initiated in December, 1957, for the New England states, with our Societies cooperating.

A pilot research study of the Black Hills Larger Parish in South Dakota was made during the year by Rev. Robert T. Frerichs of our staff. This parish is in a sparsely settled area with a declining population, but by pooling their resources and working through a parish council these three Baptist churches are able to maintain a pastor on the field without outside aid. The information compiled gives a basis for intelligent planning for future Baptist work in the area, and would seem to indicate that similar studies should be made of many other fields.

In-Service Training

The Rural Church Center, Green Lake, Wis., had the finest year in its history, with over one hundred Baptist students enrolled in the five two-week schools, one of which is interdenominational. A new school on the rural-urban fringe community proved to be very popular. The Lending Library doubled its circulation during the year, as a result of the distribution of a list of "Twenty Books for the Rural Pastor."

Four-day extension institutes for town and country pastors, under the auspices of the Center, were held in North Dakota, Massachusetts, and Vermont. In addition, several states held their own town and country pastors' conference or school for a three to five-day period, notably, West Virginia, Michigan, Maine, and Washington.

The services of Robert and Dorothy Frerichs are in increasing demand for training of music leadership for the small church. Mrs. Frerichs taught a course for the first time at the summer Conference on Music, Art, and Drama at Green Lake. The annual interdenominational Rural Church Choir Clinic and Festival at Green Lake last spring was again a success; and a similar clinic and festival for the Rochester, N. Y., area was held in November. Much help in this line is being given to local churches.

In the Interdenominational Field

In October, the interdenominational Convocation on the Church in Town and Country was held at the American Baptist Assembly at Green Lake, the first time this meeting has been held in a rural setting. Over 600 delegates attended. At an "open house" afternoon at the Rural Church Center some 250 delegates were given guided tours and an explanation of the work of the Center. Many fine expressions of praise for the work we are doing there came from representatives of other denominations.

American Baptist town and country workers were also well represented at the Conference on Churching the Sparsely Settled Areas, held at Billings, Mont., in November. The Secretary of the Department served as chairman of the program committee for this conference.

Much of the research in the interdenominational study of eighteen northern Wisconsin counties was done by Mr. Frerichs. We were represented at the conference in Ashland, Wis., where these studies were discussed.

With Other Agencies of Our Denomination

There was progress during the year in the correlation of the work of our Department with the work of other agencies in the denomination. For example, members of our staff cooperated with the town and country committee of the National Council of American Baptist Women in planning to meet the needs of small women's societies. The state directors of town and country work directed local Every Member Canvasses in accordance with the pattern suggested by the Council on Missionary Cooperation and assisted in the direction of Sector Projects.

At the Christian Education Conference at Green Lake last summer, Rev. Clayton A. Pepper taught a course for superintendents of small church schools. He also serves as a member of the Curriculum Committee and of the Committee on Administration and Leadership of the Board of Education and Publication. A first laboratory school for workers in one and two-room churches is planned for Green Lake in 1958. State town and country directors as well as the national town and country staff were active during the year in promotion of the Lay Development Program in our churches.

Another "first" was the holding of a Rural Emphasis Day at the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Pa., and a somewhat similar one at the Crozer Theological Seminary, Chester, Pa. These were arranged by town and country director Lee Jeffords of Pennsylvania, in cooperation with the seminary administrators, and involved a team of five members. Interviews and chapel addresses on town and country work were also given at the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, Chicago, Ill., and at the Colgate-Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, N. Y.

Across the Border

Interchange of ideas on town and country church work between Canadian and American Baptists increased. Several Canadian pastors attended our Green Lake schools. In May, Mr. Pepper gave a series of lectures at an institute held at Hillsburgh, Ontario, for students of the McMaster Divinity School. In November, Mr. Frerichs taught a two-week course at the McMaster Divinity School campus at Hamilton, Ontario. During the summer, the Department Secretary participated in a traveling seminar study of cooperative village work in the vicinity of Antigonish, Nova Scotia, and met a number of Canadian Baptist leaders. A major address at a northern New England town and country conference in the spring of 1958 is to be given by Rev. R. E. Whitney of the Maritimes Baptist Convention. This interchange across the border is helpful to all concerned.

Recognition

The work of outstanding town and country pastors and churches is increasingly recognized. The Rosa O. Hall Awards for distinguished service in town and country fields were presented at the American Baptist Convention in Philadelphia to Rev. Thomas Eastes of West Virginia, Rev. Arthur Wild of Massachusetts, Rev. Orey Crippen of Pennsylvania, and Rev. Charles Sanford and Rev. Lourinda Sanford of Vermont. State conventions which now give recognition to outstanding rural pastors and churches include Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Iowa. American Baptist town and country churches in Oregon, Iowa, and New Jersey received interdenominational awards for outstanding work.

Fellowship

During the year a constitution for the Baptist Town and Country Fellowship was formalized and adopted. This fellowship of some three hundred people interested in our town and country work has existed for twelve years without any definite constitution. It is hoped that the formulation of this document will set the stage for making the fellowship a much more potent force in the town and country movement.

Summary

Notable progress was made during 1957 in the approach to regional needs and in the correlation and cooperation of the work of the Town and Country Department with that of other agencies of the denomination. Two other high points of the year were the work and influence of the Rural Church Center and the fellowship with our Canadian Baptist brethren. Research

projects were initiated and further thought given toward adjustment of our total approach to town and country fields to meet their emerging needs. The future is bright with promise for our churches, if we work together intelligently and depend upon God's guidance and power.

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Field Director: Clayton A. Pepper.

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Frerichs, Robert T., Dean and Business Manager
Frerichs, Dorothy E., Director of Music

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*Gernenz, Albert J., Wyoming
Saywell, Carlton W., Arizona

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Cash, Ivan M., New York

Christensen, Wayne E., Colorado
English, Samuel G., Idaho
Frey, Jacob J., Montana
Jeffords, Lee R., Pennsylvania
Jones, Roy E., Nebraska
Karney, Ralph J., Michigan
Loughhead, Harold C., Ohio
Martin, Charles R., Iowa
Scott, John F., Illinois

STATE MISSIONARIES

Johnson, H. N., Colorado
Sheibley, John W., Ohio Valley, West Virginia
Simpson, Howard D., Idaho, Montana, Utah
Smith, Robert Janssen, Nevada

MISSIONARY PASTORS AND FIELDS

COLORADO

Ballinger, Henry T., Walsenburg
Hood, Harold A., Phippsburg
Meyerend, Robert A., Glenwood Springs
*Retzer, A. E., Rangeley

IDAHO

Brand, Miss Julia, Roberts
Pershall, Carl F., Dubois and Mud Lake
Speacht, Arthur A., Osburn
*Williams, Richard A., May
Winkler, Paul B., Shoshone

MAINE

Danielson, Henning E., Danforth

MINNESOTA

Hope, George H., Campbell
Johnson, Curtis, Battle Lake
*Thatcher, Robert W., Campbell
Wing, Miss Evelyn M., Two Harbors

MONTANA

Benhardus, Raymond M., McCabe-Whitetail,
Culbertson
Christensen, Clifford M., Stevensville
Dryden, Gerald O., Eureka
Garner, Hugh B., Victor

NEBRASKA

Falk, Dale, Peru and Auburn
Gilbert, Carol J., Kilgore
Jorden, Edward L., Wahoo
*McKowen, R. J.

NEVADA

****Gire, Milton L., Herlong
Hudson, David C., Henderson
Hutchinson, Frank, Overton
Lewis, F. E., Janesville
***Rector, George F., North Las Vegas
Schultz, Mrs. Berniece, Las Vegas
*Wise, Glenn W., Reno

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Burton, Lee L., Wolfeboro Falls, Eppingham

NORTH DAKOTA

Bayley, Arthur W., Sawyer
Cuthbert, William R., New Town
Lambert, E. Alexander, Minot
Siemens, Peter, Butte-Kief
Wohler, Richard, Lisbon

OHIO

Black, Harvey C., Coalton-Evergreen-Pleasant Valley
 Brown, Gerald, Gallia-Vinton Larger Parish
 Rowe, Kenneth L., Proctorville
 *Snodgrass, Rio Grande

OREGON

Green, Warren L., Oceanlake
 Rhoades, Conrad A., Riddle

SOUTH DAKOTA

Crane, Melvin B., Winner-Dixon
 Ekerholm, Vern O., Meade County Larger Parish
 Hiben, John Bradley-Florence Larger Parish
 Sherman, Jeanie K., Timber Lake

UTAH

*Alderman, Charles F., Monticello
 Braun, Gerhard H., St. George
 Wilson, Clyde L., Monticello

WASHINGTON

Haugan, John F., Jr., Belfair
 *Murdock, L. Lewis, Jr., Priest River and Newport
 Smith, Melvin W., Priest River and Newport

WYOMING

Bulkley, James R., Devils Tower Larger Parish, Hulett
 *Jervis, Clifford W., Jackson
 Neff, Elmer F., Linch
 Nordstrom, J. Albert, Burns

*Resigned

***Deceased

****Self-supporting

Homes and Hospitals

Department Organized in 1954

MINISTRIES OF MERCY

OSGOODE H. McDONALD

Current Trends

More than half our American Baptist Homes for the Aging and three of our seven Hospitals have been organized since 1940. No new Children's Homes have been established since that date, yet our fourteen institutions for children have made significant advance in the quality of service rendered. Indeed, this qualitative advance characterizes all our institutions. Operating budgets have doubled since 1950. Property values show a fifty per cent increase since 1954. As for our Institutional Chaplaincies, this whole enterprise, insofar as American Baptist participation is concerned, is almost entirely a post-war development. So it is that trends, in this field of Homes, Hospitals, and Institutional Chaplaincies, may be summarized by the one word, "progress," a progress both quantitative and qualitative and one which bids fair to continue. The following paragraphs will elaborate upon this theme.

Historical Background

Just four years ago negotiations between the Association of Baptist Homes and Hospitals and the American Baptist Home Mission Societies led to the establishment, within the organizational framework of the Societies, of the Department of Homes and Hospitals. The Association represented, at that time, some fifty Baptist-related institutions. With the exception of the Kodiak and Murrow Children's Homes, these institutions were all autonomous corporations with no more than an area or state relationship.

True, the Association, organized in 1932, had developed some sense of inter-institutional fellowship. Moreover, the convention's Institutional Budget Plan, established in 1948, had provided some degree of denominational endorsement and was beginning to stimulate denominational interest and support. There was a growing conviction, however, that a much more effective denominational relationship and status must be secured. Only so could these institutions be brought together in cooperative strength and continued progress. The Department of Homes and Hospitals was the answer to that sense of need.

The Association's Progress

Since 1954 the Association of Baptist Homes and Hospitals has continued to function with increasing strength and effectiveness. The Association's institutional membership has grown from fifty to sixty-five, with a dozen more institutions, all Homes for the Aging, being organized or planned at the present time. The Association's individual membership now lists three hundred administrators, board members, and friends. With ten thousand members of institutional staffs, boards, and auxiliaries, the possibilities of this individual membership plan are evident.

Attendance at the Association's annual meeting, held at the time of the meeting of the American Baptist Convention, has increased from fifty to two hundred. The Association's advisory committee, appointed to work with the Department of Homes and Hospitals, has provided a most helpful liaison relationship.

Operating Budgets

It is significant that the operating budgets of our Baptist institutions totaled more than \$11,400,000 last year. It should be noted, however, that ninety per cent of this account comes from "earnings." Indeed, our Hospitals and many of our Homes for the Aging are practically self-supporting. This does not mean that church support and individual gifts are not needed. Our Children's Homes are in serious need of such support. Our Hospitals and Homes for the Aging, with such support, could fulfill many unmet needs. Then, too, such support is most necessary if vital relationships between our institutions and our denomination are to be maintained. The Institutional Budget Plan is already strengthening this situation.

New Buildings and Equipment

Building projects, with new buildings for new institutions and expanded accommodations for older institutions, represented an expenditure of more than \$11,000,000 during the past four years. Now there is proposed expenditure of more than \$2,000,000 for 1958. The response of our churches to the various building fund appeals has been most encouraging. Numbers of our people have made generous remembrance through legacies.

Foundation gifts have also been substantial. The possibilities of financial assistance through the recent loan provisions of the Federal Housing Administration are being considered by a number of our Homes for the Aging. Total property values are now well over \$25,000,000 with endowment funds in excess of \$10,000,000.

Progress in Program

The development of new and progressive program provisions to express more adequate philosophies of their mission and to meet the emerging needs of our challenging time is one of the most heartening characteristics of many of our institutions. Our Homes for the Aging have discovered that their old admissions fee — turnover of assets — life contract policies were both financially unsound and psychologically unhealthy. Therefore, new self-maintenance policies have been developed to the advantage of all concerned. Now these Homes are discovering that their residents are coming at a more advanced age and living much longer. Such a situation demands new buildings, equipment, and professional personnel for infirmary care. This demand is being met.

Our Children's Homes in 1920 reported 70 per cent of their boys and girls as orphans. Today less than one per cent are orphans. The children with whom we are dealing now come from broken homes. They represent problems far more difficult than those which we faced in a former generation. These problems call for skilled treatment the provision of which is increasingly expensive. Yet some of our Children's Homes are moving into this new

field of service with high determination, securing the funds, employing competent staff, enlisting and supervising cooperating foster homes, and meeting with success.

Our Baptist Hospitals, in turn, are becoming newly conscious of their unique Christian mission and are making definite provision for spiritual ministry. Three of our Hospitals now have full-time chaplaincy appointments, one has just dedicated a chapel within its new building, and a second plans the construction of a new chapel in the near future. During the past year 35,000 aged men and women, homeless children, and hospital patients have been cared for in our Baptist institutions. Our programs of care are marked by an ever-increasing adequacy.

Institutional Chaplaincies

Two years ago, the Department of Homes and Hospitals was assigned responsibility for our American Baptist Institutional Chaplaincies. These ministries in federal, state, and local hospitals and correctional institutions, hitherto unrelated and unrecognized, now have an accepted place in our denominational enterprise. Among the many hundreds of Protestant appointees serving in this field, thirty American Baptist ministers are now in full-time service and seventy more in part-time service, many with special clinical training for their profession.

Our denominational Chaplains' Committee grants these men the necessary ecclesiastical endorsement. The names of these men are listed in our denominational yearbook. The Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board accepts them for membership. The convention in its annual meeting honors their presence. A Fellowship of Baptist Institutional Chaplains had been organized to serve these men and to promote their common interests. American Baptists are beginning to take their rightful place in this great ministry.

Further Interdenominational Cooperations

The establishment of the Department of Homes and Hospitals enabled American Baptists to enter into other interdenominational participation. This is particularly true in the Division of Christian Life and Work of the National Council of Churches, where the Department Secretary is constantly involved in the interests of the Department of Social Welfare and Pastoral Services. This is likewise true of the American Protestant Hospital Association where similar commitments obtain. American Protestantism is making significant advance in the health and welfare field, as evidenced by the recent Cleveland and Atlantic City conferences. It is important that American Baptists be responsibly related to this development.

The Task of the Secretary

The appointment of a full-time Secretary of the Department of Homes and Hospitals at the time of the Department's organization was a necessary step. The provision of travel budget has enabled the Secretary to keep in close touch with all the developments noted in this report. Institutional visitation with constant conference on matters of organization, finance, staff appointment and program has been his first duty.

Further budget appropriations have provided for basic office service, for the publication of the bimonthly *Concern* with a circulation of three thousand, and for the financing of the Homes and Hospitals Conference at Green Lake, with eighty administrators and board members in attendance at the third annual session last July.

Summary

Religion, pure and undefiled, as recorded in the Epistle of James, has to do with ministering to widows, the fatherless, and those in affliction. Through Homes, Hospitals, and Institutional Chaplaincies, American Baptists are seeking, by the love of God in Christ, to fulfill this New Testament word.

DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Secretary of the Department: Osgoode H. McDonald.

HOMES AND HOSPITALS

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Pilgrim Haven, Los Altos

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Atherton Baptist Homes, Alhambra
Children's Baptist Home of Southern California, Inglewood
Verdugo Home (Swedish Baptist Pacific Home), Los Angeles

COLORADO

The Baptist Home of Colorado, Canyon City
Senior Homes of Colorado, Denver

CONNECTICUT

The Children's Home Association, New Britain
Swedish Baptist Home of Rest, Shelton
Pierce Memorial Baptist Home, Brooklyn

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Baptist Home of the District of Columbia, Washington, D. C.
The Baptist Home for Children, Bethesda, Maryland

ILLINOIS

Baptist Home and Hospital, Maywood
Central Baptist Home for the Aged, Chicago
Central Baptist Children's Home, Lake Villa
Fridhem (Swedish Baptist Home of Rest), Chicago
Hudelson Baptist Home, Centralia
Mothers' Memorial Baptist Home, Virden
Sunnyridge Home for Children, Wheaton

INDIANA

Indiana Baptist Home, Zionsville
Welborn Memorial Baptist Hospital, Evansville

IOWA

Bethany Home, Fairfield
Charles City Baptist Home, Charles City
Danish Baptist Memorial Home, Harlan

KANSAS

Sunset Home and Hospital, Concordia

MASSACHUSETTS

Baptist Home of Massachusetts, Chestnut Hill
New England Baptist Hospital, Boston

MICHIGAN

Baptist Children's Home, Royal Oak
Detroit Baptist Manor, Detroit
Hungarian Baptist Home, Watervliet

MINNESOTA

Blaisdell Avenue Baptist Home, Minneapolis
Midway Hospital, St. Paul
Mounds Park Hospital, St. Paul
Red Wing Baptist Home, Red Wing
Valley Home, Thief River Falls
Weddell Memorial Baptist Home, Minneapolis
Winnebago Baptist Home, Winnebago

NEBRASKA

Jonas Baptist Home, Omaha

NEW JERSEY

Baptist Home Society of New Jersey, Newark
Baptist Home of South Jersey, Riverton

NEW YORK

Baptist Home for the Aged, New York

Baptist Home of Brooklyn, Brooklyn
 Baptist Home of Monroe County, Fairport
 Baptist Children's Home of Long Island, Brooklyn
 Empire Baptist Home, New York
 Girls' Home Society, New York
 Jennie Clarkson Home for Children, Valhalla
 Samaritan Hospital, Brooklyn
 Up-state Baptist Home for Children, Oneonta

NORTH DAKOTA

Bismarck Home for the Aged, Bismarck

OHIO

Baptist Home of Ohio, Cleveland Heights
 Baptist Home and Center of Cincinnati, Cincinnati

OKLAHOMA

Murrow Indian Children's Home, Bacone

OREGON

Baptist Home for the Aged, Portland
 Oregon Baptist Retirement Home, Portland

PENNSYLVANIA

Baptist Home of Philadelphia, Philadelphia

Baptist Orphanage and Home Society, Pittsburgh
 Baptist Orphanage, Philadelphia
 George Nugent Home for Baptists, Philadelphia
 German Baptist Home for the Aged, Philadelphia

RHODE ISLAND

Baptist Home of Rhode Island, Newport

SOUTH DAKOTA

Baptist Home, Madison

WASHINGTON

Baptist Rest Home, Seattle

WEST VIRGINIA

Broadbudd Hospital, Philippi

ALASKA

Cordova Community Hospital, Cordova
 Kodiak Baptist Mission, Kodiak

CANADA

Baptist Haven of Rest, Medicine Hat, Alberta

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- Briser, Joseph, Philadelphia General Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.
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- *Jimerson, Norman C., Federal Reformatory, Petersburg, Va.
- Jones, T. O., Washington Institutions, Arlington, Va.
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- Robins, Charles L., Greaterford State Penitentiary, Oreland, Pa.
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- Scotfield, Willard A., House of Correction, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Sherblom, Edward R., State Hospital, Tiverton, R. I.
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- *Spidell, Curry M., Federal Correctional Institution, Ypsilanti, Mich.
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- *Thomas, Russell B., Los Angeles County Hospital, Los Angeles, Calif.
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- *Woodson, J. F., Mental Health Center, Dorchester, Mass.
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Church Extension

Department Organized in 1953

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LINCOLN B. WADSWORTH

Current Trends

Many of the fine missionary fields, through the years, have shown slow progress and have been filled with many discouragements. Church extension, on the other hand, probably has the fastest tempo of outreach of any kind of missionary activity. Most of the churches become self-supporting during their first five years. When this happens, they no longer make statistical reports to our Societies. However, it may be safely assumed that the acceleration of the first years continues as they grow from strength to strength.

No two churches are the same, but they all give evidence of rapid growth. The "average" Churches for New Frontiers church within the Department of Church Extension is three years old. It had a membership of 105.6 at the end of 1957. During the year there were 10 baptisms and 20 other additions, making a total of 30 accessions. In 1957 this new church received from The American Baptist Home Mission Society less than \$725 toward the support of the pastor and gave approximately \$675 to the Unified Budget of the American Baptist Convention. This was the "average" church. However, there were 10 churches that had 25 or more baptisms during the year, with an average of 33.7. There were also 10 churches which had 60 or more accessions to the church, averaging 77.1. Ten churches gave more than \$1,300 to the Unified Budget, making a total of over \$19,175. These figures have come from the first 100 reports of the 148 churches in this Department.

Not all New Frontiers churches have this rapid growth. We ask ourselves, when we observe slow growth in a new church, why this church has not grown like others. In nearly every case we find that the church did not follow the suggested procedures for the establishment of new churches. Rev. Edward Chipman, field representative in the Department, has given six causes of failure or of limited results in the field of church extension. They are as follows:

1. Inexperienced and ineffective leadership. It takes top quality leadership, preferably with the experience of at least one previous pastorate, to administer a rapidly growing new church in a new community.
2. Uncooperative leadership. When pastor or people decline to follow time-tested procedures and recommendations to cooperate with the state convention, the city society, or the Home Mission Society, the church fails to make desirable progress.
3. Impatience. This leads to short cuts or hasty procedures. Superficial preparation for the organization and ministry of the new church can be injurious or even fatal. Every step of preparation must be carefully made.

4. Too small a nucleus. The first days of a New Frontiers project are extremely important. If a new church group is satisfied to organize with too small a number and disregards the imperative to go out and reach numbers of people, the result is that the future of that church is often curtailed. The recommendation still stands that the new church should have at least 100 members before beginning its first building project.
5. Too expensive a first unit. The first unit should seat at least 160 persons. It is harmful if this building is too small. On the other hand, if a church builds a first unit which is too large and too expensive to be financed by the group, it may find itself greatly hampered for months and even years to come.
6. Failure to conduct three standard campaigns. It is recommended that these be conducted before the building is begun. The first is the membership enlistment campaign, so that there will be people with whom to work. The second is the thorough Every Member Canvass, so that the budget of the church may be underwritten. The third is the church building fund campaign, so that the financing of the loans for the first unit can be met on schedule.

In-service training for church extension pastors is beginning to receive its rightful emphasis. The 99 church extension pastors and leaders who attended the 1957 National Church Extension Conference at Green Lake, Wis., continued the formulation of materials to guide the pastors of new churches. The accumulation of techniques gathered from many areas of church extension provides needed resource materials for the new pastor who is working for the first time in a New Frontiers church.

Sponsorship of new churches progressed significantly during 1957. Detroit and Chicago continue to be leaders in this field. As the field of church extension grows it becomes increasingly necessary for established churches to sponsor new ones.

What happens when a city really goes into the program of church extension? Chicago is a good example. On May 14, 1957, three new churches were formally received as member churches of the Chicago Baptist Association. All three began their work under full-time pastoral leadership. Nine New Frontiers churches in the Chicago area reported a total membership of 638 as of January 1, 1957. The same churches reported a membership of 939 at the end of the year, an increase of 350. The same nine churches contributed a total of \$8,244.22 to the Unified Budget during 1957, or \$8.77 per member. This is approximately \$3.00 per member more than the average of our denomination.

An adequate church site is extremely important. Church extension leaders at Green Lake reported that the average site for their churches was approximately three acres in size. While these sites formerly cost a few thousand dollars, it is not uncommon today for a site for a new church to cost \$40,000 or more. In view of the many thousands of dollars to be spent on the building, however, the original investment is extremely important. Not only is the size of the site but also the location strategic. It is a common

saying that a church may be located "two blocks from success." More and more we find that the location of the site of the new church must be thoroughly studied before a decision is made in this regard.

Summary

It has now become an established fact, well understood, that we must invest heavily in church extension, both financially and through leadership and personnel, if we are to meet the challenge that is before us in this field. Such an investment will bring returns beyond measure. This growing opportunity calls for tremendous investment if we are to take our full place in the future as a great denomination meeting the needs for churching the new communities across our land. These fields are white unto the harvest!

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 McCoy, Ray, Lansing
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Christian Friendliness

Department Organized in 1919

TOWARD INTER-GROUP COOPERATION

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Current Trends

There is no tabulated record which shows the amount of prejudice which has crumbled because of the encounters, programs, discussions, and witnessing in which Christians engage. The year 1956-57 was not as bad as the Bad Year 1955-56. The year's home mission study theme, "Christ, the Church, and Race," was given with theological background and sociological facts. Now, understanding must be followed up with personal acquaintance across racial lines. The third step is to analyze local situations in order to know how Negroes and non-Negroes may be mutually helpful. Our goal is that all of us may speak the truth in love and may act boldly in Christ's name and spirit.

Northern California and the San Francisco Union

Beginning in January, 1957, Mrs. Jesse H. Parker became the director of a Christian Friendliness program in the upper half of California. The work is organized through an International-Interracial Fellowship Commission of ten members. The work is divided into six areas of emphasis: Overseas Students, Indian Americans, Race Relations, Legislation, Migrant Ministry, and Spanish Speaking Americans. Members of the Commission serve as chairmen of sub-committees in each of these fields of endeavor. This means that some fifty people in Northern California are related in some way to this work.

This past summer thirty-nine children were brought down from the Indian Reservation at Covelo to visit in Bay Area Baptist homes. They made new friends as they attended churches, church schools, summer camps, vacation church schools, and picnics. Such things as large parks, zoos, elevators, escalators and the airports were places of wonderment.

The rewarding program with Overseas Students took on significant proportions when Mr. and Mrs. Morris Forbes, with the help of the Bay Cities Baptist Union, moved into a larger home near the "Cal" campus which they share with eleven students from eight different countries. The home, called "Students International," is open every day for activities attended by some 180 students.

The Commission sent Rev. C. W. Washington to the Interracial Institute in Chicago this past summer. He served as a resource leader and brought back a fine report growing out of the work being done in San Jose in race relations on a community level.

Southern California and Los Angeles

After six months as a staff member of the Southern California Baptist Convention and of the Los Angeles Baptist City Mission Society, June Taylor

reports her observations. "To enter upon the home mission of cultivating Christian racial and cultural relations is not to tread a well-beaten walk; it is rather to find the gate that is strait and the way that is narrow."

Indian Americans: Two new programs are planned by the Indian Committee of the Church Federation for a Newcomer's Coffee Hour and a Recreation Night for single people. The program carried on by this agency has, heretofore, been a system of referral cards by which names of Baptist families are channeled to local pastors. Two churches have been active in calling. The Indian folk who are attending church go almost exclusively to Indian churches. Despite our belief in the "integrated church" for Indian Americans, the practical conclusion which we have to suggest is that there must be some intermediate step from the reservation church to a big "white" church.

International Students: About 3-4,000 foreign students are in Los Angeles alone. Some community groups are making a spasmodic outreach; Southwest Rotary has a large and well organized approach. UCLA Associates, USC faculty wives, Friends, Y's Men and many campuses are organized. No coordinating agency exists to help an interested person.

This year a Christmas Exchange program between Los Angeles and Atlanta, and other parts of the country, was achieved only because Rotary contributed \$400 of the trip expense. However, it gave us a good opener into the whole field. Many school officers are cooperative.

Bridge Building: I sense a desire on the part of concerned Christian lay people to link community concern to evangelism . . . they seek first to befriend the friendless for the purpose of winning to Christ.

Teen-Agers: As we begin to draw in our BYF chairmen of Christian citizenship to the state committee we expect to find many channels of service and ways to strengthen the present emphasis. Other groups like Boys' State and the NCCJ youth camp have reported amazing results with this type of program.

Chicago Baptist Association

Esther Davis, since 1944 missionary of Christian Friendliness for the Chicago Baptist Association, writes of her many opportunities to help churches with the home mission study theme, "Christ, the Church, and Race." She lists techniques used for all age levels and describes the major book.

Oral Presentation: Teaching, using audio-visuals, field trips, small face-to-face groups, group conversations — I have employed every technique I know to aid folk who are "seeking to be Christian in race relations." I am particularly grateful to Dr. Liston Pope for the outline of his book, *The Kingdom Beyond Caste*. He brings the nature of the church immediately into the foreground of one's thinking; gives place to the various theories, facts, even fears, concerning race, caste, segregation, integration; then faces squarely what the Scriptures teach. This has helped many persons to look clearly at their own situations.

Important Events of 1957: Feb. 3—"At-Home" Party at International House for students and international students and their guests. More than two thousand were present.

Feb. 23—Third Annual Brotherhood Tea was held.

March 22—Inauguration of the Newcomer Commission of the Church Federation of Greater Chicago. I serve as chairman of the Commission.

March 24—Home Missions Bilingual Observance Rally at the First Baptist Church — all bilingual groups in our Convention participated in this observance of the 125th Anniversary of The American Baptist Home Mission Society.

May 3-5—Lincoln-Land Tour for International Students, with our Baptist folk in Springfield hosts for the entire week end. We had to limit the number of students to one hundred!

July—Illinois Baptist families participated in a summer service project. Children from Chicago were entertained in downstate homes, Mexicans were in Negro homes, Negroes in white homes, and Indian Americans in several homes.

Aug. 7—Meeting with community and church leaders in Des Plaines on discrimination against Mexican migrants who live in trailers.

Sept. 6—I spoke to the women of the National Baptist Convention, Louisville, Ky.

Oct. 29-Nov. 2—First National Urban Convocation at Indianapolis.

Nov. 30—Chairman for the day — our church was host to the Latin American Baptist Convention of this entire Great Lakes area.

Dec. 31—Baptist Day at the Holiday Center where students from sixty-eight countries shared in the program.

Detroit Association of American Baptist Churches

Mrs. Hazel Maten Boltwood on April 15, 1957, became a staff member of the Detroit Association. A graduate of the Baptist Missionary Training School and a former missionary in New York City's Chinatown, she is giving half-time services in the Christian Friendliness program. Her report follows.

Lay Development Programs: Nine churches have held Lay Development Workshops and five have submitted the following recommendations from the Workshops on Community Witness.

1. That church members plan to send a card this Christmas and on other occasions to a person of another race or color; that churches consider sponsoring in 1959, if there is a need, another refugee family — this time possibly of non-European origin; that members entertain students from abroad at a smorgasbord dinner in the church; that members arrange after-church dinners for Negro friends, and attend church services together.

2. Be mindful of our definite responsibility in community for a stronger Christian Expression of personal living.

3. That our church will be friendly when the need for integration arises.

4. Recognizing the inevitable issues that face our church regarding integration; knowing it may not be at our doorstep at the present time; it is

no doubt a problem that must be faced in the next few years; we wish to go on record as being in complete agreement with the Resolutions adopted by the American Baptist Convention at Philadelphia, June 4, 1957.

Resolution at State Convention, 1957: Whereas the tensions between races in this country are, surely, not in accord with the teachings of Christ, and whereas the resulting conflicts bring growing disrepute to our country in most areas of the world, be it resolved that we, as Christians, examine our own hearts and seek the courage to accept all people of whatever color, as our brothers in Christ, without discrimination. Be it further resolved that we will work to achieve this true Christian fellowship in our churches and communities.

An interracial Prayer Group was started among women of thirteen churches in two conventions.

Massachusetts

Miss Elizabeth Miller, director of Christian Friendliness, for the Massachusetts Baptist Convention reports.

Refugee Resettlement: A great deal of my time was given to Refugee Resettlement. During the years of operation of the refugee act of 1953, 130 refugees came to Massachusetts in addition to 36 under the Hungarian program. Many more were sponsored but did not get through the myriads of regulations.

Vacations in the Country: The summer months were largely taken up with Vacations in the Country. In 1957, eighty-two children were sent out under the program which is almost double the number sent out last year.

Racial Relations: At least forty per cent of our churches have persons of other races in their congregations, but we have a long way to go to overcome discrimination in all its ugly forms. At the third Baptist Legislative Seminar held at the State House, 135 persons were present.

Active work on the theme, "Christ, the Church, and Race," required techniques, ideas, and materials. Those introduced at the Massachusetts House Party were widely used throughout the state during the following year; at the National Women's Conference where I was privileged to fill the pulpit on the opening Sunday; and at the Council on Christian Social Progress Workshop at Green Lake.

At the state convention the most controversial resolution was concerned with racial discrimination in fraternal orders. A number of people did some real thinking on the matter of relationships in organizations to which they belong.

In November I began an intensive program of calling on Negro pastors to establish some real communication between them and the convention, to get their views concerning the convention and to lay the groundwork for a meeting early in January with the staff.

New Jersey

The annual Niagara trip for doctors and nurses interning in New Jersey hospitals began on October 4, under the direction of the state committee on

Christian Friendliness. "Christmas in Miami" for thirty-nine international visitors in the New Jersey and New York City areas was developed under the leadership of Mrs. Rudolph Mader, Rev. Norman Keim of New York City, and Matthew Giuffrida of the Department of Christian Friendliness.

Mrs. Lynn Leavenworth, chairman of the state convention committee on Christian Friendliness, arranged in November with Ruth Teasdale a Workshop on Services to Newcomers, particularly new immigrants. The state committee is studying the matter of a replacement for Alice Burnham who resigned October 1.

New York Baptist City Society

Christian Friendliness leadership in the New York Baptist City Society functions through an advisory committee and with the cooperation of outlying areas. Tabea Korjus, missionary-director, reports.

Christian Friendliness is a link between Baptists of the Metropolitan New York area and newcomers, between our churches and strangers who need friends. When names of international students or visitors come to our office we try to get acquainted with them. Then we introduce them to some of our committee members and to Baptist families interested in entertaining. Frequently these visitors also enjoy the fellowship of our churches. It is difficult to say how many individuals have had these contacts but we have twenty-five churches and host families listed where guests have been entertained from September, 1957 to January, 1958.

Camp Friendly was the largest we have had to date: 122 children had their summer vacation with families in 24 communities; 35 invitations came through Rev. George Younger of the Mariners' Temple; 24 Camp Friendly children were of Chinese, Hungarian, German, Polish, and 2 of Caucasian American background; the remaining 98 were Negro and Puerto Rican.

The Subcommittee on General Projects has suggested to the churches various ways of promoting interracial and international Christian fellowship. About twenty-five individuals have had special attention from the Christian Friendliness missionary during the year. Some newcomers whom we befriended have themselves become good contacts with strangers and lonely people in this big city.

Washington

Miss Marion Marshall has given leadership to the Christian Friendliness program in the State of Washington. She reports as part-time director.

Many overseas brides come to Seattle as their first stop in America. We are reaching out to them in fellowship and friendliness. A group of from thirty-five to fifty of these women and their children meet together for Christian fellowship once a month. Our next step is to enlist the women in our churches to "adopt" these women as friends. Plans for a friendly committee that would meet the boats and assist new arrivals who must often stay here two or three days alone while their American husbands are being "processed out" of the army, are developing.

The home mission study theme, "Christ, the Church, and Race," has given me many opportunities to recommend speakers and/or to speak on this vital theme.

As to Christian Friendliness concerns many churches reported (a) international student hospitality, (b) UNICEF, (c) interracial programs and guests, (d) the Japanese Church representation available to other churches for help in the study of Japan this year, (e) Christmas gifts for resettled refugee families, (f) Christmas dinner for twenty or more lonely aged (seventy and over) in the church, and (g) contributions to Sharing Fund of the Japanese Women's Home.

Our young people need opportunities to mingle with students from other countries. So much of our hospitality is on a completely adult level. Student houses can do much to make their services available to all students.

Intercultural Relations

Matthew Giuffrida since September 1956 has been field representative in the Department. He has represented the total program in areas in which there is no missionary. He has been assigned to encourage intercultural experiences especially with international groupings. His headquarters are at the American Baptist Home Mission offices.

International Missions, U. S. A.

The number of visitors in the United States, both as students and as specialists from other countries, challenges this Department. The terms "cultural" and "intercultural" include the moving host of exchanges. Home and church hospitality remain the warm friendly approach for extending interest in folk away from home.

Christmas in Miami, as an inter-convention project and a "first" brought the resources of the American Baptist Convention and of the Southern Baptist Convention into cooperation. Forty international visitors (including Matthew Giuffrida, their leader) from twenty-four countries and of six religions were the guests of four Southern Baptist churches for overnight hospitality for the chartered bus group and of the Sunday School Board for housing and meals for five nights in Miami. One student from Ghana was a member of the group. He has expressed deep appreciation for the spirit in which the tour was carried out.

The desire of our high school youth to have a family exchange had led to this Department's membership in the International Christian Youth Exchange. The Baptist Youth Fellowship is eager to have this interdenominational channel open to them.

The President got a People-to-People program launched last year. The program, now in the hands of a private organization, has jolted Americans into a consciousness of the great number of "unofficial ambassadors" both American and non American, who are crossing boundaries. Laymen have found an interest in this dimension of travel as a tool, a tool which holds promise of world peace. Mr. Giuffrida attended the Men's Conference for the second year.

Refugee Resettlement

Miss Ruth Teasdale, director of the office of Refugee Resettlement, makes the following report:

During the Refugee Relief Act program of 1953-1956, the American Baptist Resettlement office processed 1,018 cases which represented approximately 2,523 individuals. For several reasons 681 of these cases did not arrive.

Beginning on November 4, 1956, the boundary of Hungary could no longer hold the drive for freedom. By mid-February the "Baptist Team" at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, had resettled 458 individuals. Of these 128 are Baptists. The new amendment, Public Law 85-316 (September 11, 1957), has not provided for the parole-provision under which half of the Hungarian refugees entered the United States. It is inadequate and not acceptable to Christian leaders in the field of relief and rehabilitation. Each case is considered in terms of hardship, persecution, and the general welfare of the U. S. A.

New immigration, as called for by the National Council of Churches, should include (a) a more flexible quota system, (b) a fairer system of appeals and procedures, and (c) the admission of our fair share of refugees.

The unfinished task of integration, of adjustment — by sponsor and newcomer — is a challenge to our churches. In order to see these newcomers as a part of the Christian service and watch care of the congregation, the director of the refugee resettlement program is prepared to arrange a workshop training session of two days or three periods. The introductory session will include the resettled newcomers and other immigrants and migrants of relocating backgrounds.

The Evanston Assembly message reads: "We are not sufficient for these things. But Christ is sufficient. We do not know what is coming to us, but we know who is coming. It is he who meets us everyday and who will meet us at the end: Christ Jesus, our Lord. Therefore we say to you, 'Rejoice in Hope!'"

Summary

Racial and cultural relations remain the proving ground of the maturity of a congregation. Nearly all the missionaries have written for Baptist publications this year. Christ calls us to liberation and to participation in the unfinished work of Christ.

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Release Information
The following report:

During the period from 1942 to 1945, the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, has been engaged in a program of reorganization and retraining of its personnel. This program has been carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, which authorized the Secretary of the Interior to reorganize the Bureau of Indian Affairs and to provide for the training of its personnel. The program has been carried out in a systematic and orderly manner, and has resulted in a significant improvement in the efficiency and effectiveness of the Bureau's operations.

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DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

The following is a list of the personnel of the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, as of the end of the fiscal year 1945. The list is arranged in alphabetical order by last name. The names are followed by the position held by each person, and the date of appointment to that position. The list is intended to provide a general overview of the personnel of the Bureau, and is not intended to be a complete and exhaustive list of all personnel.

Cities

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PAUL O. MADSEN

Current Trends

"Where did you come from?" This is a common question in every part of the United States. There is an automatic assumption that in all probability the person to whom one is speaking calls some other place home. Even casual observers of the current scene are aware of tremendous sociological changes. These changes may simply be noted as "working wives," "shifting populations," "job transfers," "building of new houses." They are the tangible effects of a population explosion in our nation, new technologies, and a vastly increased ease and rapidity in transportation. The city church which has been bound to a traditional way of ministry and approach finds that in the midst of radical and swift changes people no longer respond as they once did.

The Department of Cities in its programming in 1957 initiated experimental educational procedures. Numerous institutes were held to train pastors and lay people. Teams from the Department of Cities went to a number of college and seminary campuses, not only to challenge youth with mission service but also to help educate them to the great needs. With the vanishing of the geographical frontier and the growth of the sociological frontier, the city church was caught in the malestrom of change. A large part of the expressed purpose of the Department this year was to encourage local resources to understand and meet critical urban needs.

Juvenile Protection Program

The Juvenile Protection Program is a prime example of some of this concern and emphasis. The rate of juvenile delinquency continues to grow far more rapidly than the rate of child population growth. We, as American Baptists, continue to be the only denomination active in this field with a positive program. We have found progress slow and the response of churches inconclusive.

There are several reasons that leap readily to mind why this is so. There is a noticeable reluctance on the part of many churches to work with delinquents fearing that they will somehow "contaminate" the church youth. Secondly, many of the delinquent youth are outside the church and thus do not represent a group demanding attention as do those who are inside the church. Third, there is an understandable feeling, that problem children are a group requiring special ministries, skills and large blocks of time. Thus many churches simply "pass by on the other side."

Much of the work of Mr. Janssen, Director of the Program, Miss Mary Ellen Hibbs, field missionary, and Rev. Nick N. Neufeld, field representative, was in the areas of Junior Citizens' Camps, church studies, and Recreation

Laboratories. These approaches were the traditional approaches, but were found wanting and will be changed in the year 1958.

Junior Citizens' Camps were held in Northern California, Southern California, Arizona, Kansas, Illinois, West Virginia, New York, Philadelphia, and New England. Three hundred fifty children were reached through these camps and their lives were helped. Two members of Junior Citizens' Camp staffs were former campers who had found their "Christian chance" and had emerged with a position dedication and motivation to help others in the name of Christ. A youth director in one of our downtown churches stated that he got his incentive to go into youth work from a Recreation Laboratory.

Camps are vital and must be continued. However, they must become a logical extension of the work of the church in a year-round program of Juvenile Protection, and not simply an isolated and sporadic summer attempt to do something on the part of a few concerned individuals. This can be accomplished by increasing the number of training institutes such as the Recreation Laboratory held in Phoenix, Ariz., or the National Laboratory held at Green Lake. In connection with a church study an institute was held at Ottawa, Kan., on community needs which enlisted the support of church and civic officials. Two results were an awareness of need and techniques to meet those needs.

Church studies helped in meeting this concern. The churches which ask for home mission staff help in self-study are of many kinds. Some are struggling and desperate for an antidote to illness. Other churches, still strong, seek for ways in which they may become more vital in their ministry. They come from positions of strength with resources to give but need fresh insights into the community and its needs. Sometimes the churches merely need encouragement to minister to changing racial and cultural communities.

Nineteen churches had depth studies. They are East End, Crafton, and Lorenz Ave. of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mt. Pleasant, Calvary Baptist, two Reformed, and two Methodist churches included in a single community in Schenectady, N. Y.; First, Ottawa, Kan.; First, Los Angeles; Woodlawn, Chicago, Ill.; First, Erie, Pa.; First, Berkeley, Calif.; Central Baptist, Providence, R. I.; First, Akron, Ohio; First, Lindsay, Calif.; First, New Brunswick, N. J. Fifty additional churches received shorter visits and less detailed study through personal conferences, board meetings, and visits with church officials. Much of the work of this program has such long range effects its value cannot be judged until much later.

Church Strategy and Planning

The new Church Strategy and Planning Program has been meaningful. Rev. Harvey Everett and Rev. James A. Scott were extremely busy during the year working with churches, associations, city societies, and state conventions in taking a long-range look at needs. If it is true that no city church will be in the same kind of community in thirty years in which it is today, then obviously preparation must be made for days of crisis. Rapid urbanization means drastic community change.

Mr. Scott and Mr. Everett were engaged in strategy studies in five churches in Springfield, Ill.; fourteen churches in Jersey City, N. J.; five

churches in Albany, N. Y.; twenty-seven churches in Boston, Mass.; forty-three churches in Los Angeles, Calif., (to be concluded in the spring of 1958); as well as individual studies. These latter included Central Falls and Federal Hill, Providence, R. I.; Baptist, Kenmore, N. Y.; and First, Springfield, Mass. Follow-up work of the 1956 study was done in three churches in Detroit, Mich., and in Albany, N. Y. Tentative invitations will keep these men busy into early 1959 without further invitations. It is obvious, therefore, that more staff is needed for Baptist churches recognize that the urban situation demands inter-church cooperation. "Strategy" means helping a church be more effective in its own ministry in its community. Strategy also means helping groups of churches recognize that they must work together in meeting long-term community needs.

The process of study is minimum in cost and is usually shared equally by the Home Mission Societies and the church. The invitation must come officially from the church and it must be implemented by the appointment of a church committee that does much of the procedural work. Studies done *for* churches are not always understood or accepted. Studies done *with* churches are accepted because the church people participate in the study from the beginning.

Mr. Scott shared through the year in two special projects. He most ably assisted Dr. Milton W. Froyd in the Strategy and Policy Study of the total work of the Societies. He also carried major responsibility for the *Fact Book of American Baptists* which was produced for the Urban Convocation.

Educational Centers

A third phase of the work of the Department of Cities lies in the general area of Baptist Educational Centers. Programs vary according to the needs of the particular areas in which the centers are located. They range from leadership education to formal retreats and assemblies; from children's work to adult work; from general academic studies to theology; from day nurseries to youth camps; from Sunday school teacher training to courses for church officers. Centers are in operation in Manhattan and Brooklyn, N. Y.; Parkersburg, W. Va.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Chicago, Ill.; Kansas; Iowa; and Northern and Southern California.

The latter program was in operation for fourteen years under the auspices of the Los Angeles Baptist City Society. Steps were taken in 1957 so that in 1958 the center would be a recognized part of the Department of Cities' work. In Michigan there was a temporary stoppage in the support of the work by the National Societies but it is anticipated that we will renew our support and participation in the program in 1958.

Kansas appointed a new director, Rev. Harry L. Smith, who has served as missionary of the Foreign Mission Board of the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc., in Bluefields, Nicaragua, Central America. Many requests came from across the country to Mr. Hicks for interpretation of the program. Arizona, Colorado, and Ohio requested guidance in similar centers for their areas.

Support for the work of these centers in the past came primarily from American Baptist sources. During 1957, however, National Baptist affiliates

slowly took hold of their responsibilities in order to help make these centers a more effective force in the life of the denomination. There is some indication now that one of the national boards of the National Baptist Convention will underwrite support in the near future. A Baptist Educational Center Workers' Conference was held at Green Lake, Wis., simultaneously with the National Missions Conference.

Mr. Hicks gave outstanding service in this cooperative work with National Baptists. He served effectively as a liaison between the two conventions. In many areas of denominational life there were conferences looking toward further cooperation. While he was not an official board member of any National Baptist Convention affiliate or board of directors, he was accorded the privilege of notice of many such meetings with invitation to attend, speak, visit, and share in counsel. He served as contributing editor of the *National Baptist Voice*, which is the official organ of the National Baptist Convention. He and his wife continued to serve on the Finance Committee of the National Baptist Convention.

In the current days of the home mission study theme, *Christ, the Church and Race*, it was perhaps even more significant that Mr. Hicks' work reached a new high with every anticipation that his service will continue to expand. He was used heavily by both conventions in a closer and deeper understanding of a mutual task to perform.

Spanish-Speaking Work

Rev. Adam Morales has been with the American Baptist Home Mission Societies for ten years. He is a product of the Christian center, Aiken Institute, of Chicago and was trained in the Spanish-American Baptist Seminary. This is the only seminary training people for Spanish-speaking work in the U. S. and is sponsored by American Baptists. Several years ago he was asked to assume full-time responsibility for Spanish-speaking work in our Convention, and has given able and effective service. During 1957 twenty fields received financial support. Counsel and advice, however, was given to all of the more than one hundred American Baptist churches and missions in the United States. A significant part of Mr. Morales' work was the issuing of *Spanish-American Horizons*, a quarterly newsletter in English and Spanish. This was mailed to a thousand key people in the American Baptist Convention and fulfilled a great need in the work.

A major part of his work lay in interpreting to both Spanish-speaking and English-speaking churches the needs which have emerged in the integration process. It was easy in other years for churches to establish Spanish-speaking missions and feel that they had accomplished their job. Now we know it is better to establish Spanish-speaking departments in English churches instead of a separate Spanish-speaking church. By this means, integration can be accomplished more easily. When children speak English they no longer face the conflict of two cultures quite so sharply. Young people are saved and preserved for adult work in the churches.

Another phase of Mr. Morales' work was aiding in establishing a program of Christian stewardship and finance. He reports that some churches this year operated on budgets of \$70 per member for all purposes, and

several others operated on budgets of approximately \$102 per member. These figures are far above the average giving of American Baptists. A major incentive was the invitation extended to Spanish pastors by the American Baptist Home Mission Societies to attend the National Ministers' Conference at Green Lake. Through this experience the pastors gained insight and knowledge into the Sector Project and the Lay Development Program.

New work was initiated among Puerto Ricans in Los Angeles, using the facilities of the Roger Williams Baptist Church; in Bono, Ohio; and in Sun Valley, Calif. Working with states and cities, a minimum salary was established for pastors. Further criteria will be established during the coming year.

The work of the Spanish-American Baptist Seminary should be noted. Rev. Benjamin Morales is giving outstanding service as seminary president. The enrollment of forty-nine represents an all-time high. It is expected that seven will be graduated this spring, one of the largest classes ever to be graduated. This is still not an adequate number to supply the need.

A vital part of the seminary program worked out cooperatively by Adam and Benjamin Morales was the summer work program and the forth coming intern year for seminary students. This is a plan whereby seminary students have a summer experience of three to four months. In the future it will be a full year during the seminary career, so that they may truly understand some of the problems of the local field while they are making their preparation. Students worked in Cleveland, Ohio; Iowa; Brooklyn, N. Y.; and New York City this past year.

In addition to field visitation, personal conferences, and preaching Mr. Morales conducted leadership training institutes, planned the national conference for Spanish-speaking ministers, edited the *Spanish-American Horizons*, attended and participated in Spanish-American Conventions at San Francisco, Phoenix, and Los Angeles, and participated in interdenominational work in the general area of Spanish work.

Urban Convocation

The Urban Convocation provided a major part of the Department of Cities' program thrust in 1957. It was eighteen months in planning and attracted significant attention throughout the American Baptist Convention. A number of institutes were held before the convocation itself.

Study papers on three themes, "The Nature of the Urban Church," "The Needs of the Urban Church," and "The Strategy of the Urban Church," were prepared on a regional basis, one paper on each topic in each of the three areas — the East, Midwest and West. A second book, prepared as a basic research document, catalogued the changing scene in modern urban America, and listed in statistical fashion the present situation of American Baptists, including the number of Baptists in each state, the rate of growth, and other essential data.

A report-book to be issued shortly will contain the manuscripts of the major addresses, as well as staff evaluation of the discussion groups. Copies of these books are available through the offices of the American Baptist Home

Mission Societies. Two filmstrips were prepared, *The Hope For The City* and *Types of City Churches*. The basic work on the filmstrips was done by Rev. James A. Scott and Rev. Edward D. Rapp.

There were a number of follow-up conferences of the Urban Convocation. An Urban Commission was appointed. The commission, while somewhat temporary in nature depending upon the needs that shall actually be chronicled as time goes by, will begin its work in 1958. Part of its function will be to analyze the needs of American Baptists in the urban scene, to prepare future convocations, and to determine what kind of program is needed to more adequately prepare the ministry and the lay people for urban work.

No small part of the Urban Convocation was an attempt to recognize some churches as effective city churches. Several research documents were circulated to a number of churches which were nominated. Some of these churches were then selected by a committee which did a thorough analysis to determine that they were being effective in their ministry to the community. While this was an honor to the churches involved, it was perhaps more significant to the staff of the Department of Cities, because it was necessary to analyze what is meant when we say "an effective city church." This is a field of study in which we are just barely touching the edges. In cooperation with the Department of Urban Church of the National Council of Churches we hope to explore this more fully in a broad scale study on effectiveness.

Christian Centers

Because Christian centers have been established now some 40 years the feeling has developed in some areas that Christian centers are an institutional approach to the problems of the city. The year 1957 should have proved that that statement is an incorrect one. Christian centers provide a way and a program to meet the needs of the people of the city. Christian centers must always remain flexible. They can never be bound by tradition nor be caught up in a constant program that remains the same.

The following changes should be recorded. The three Christian centers in the Sacramento area, Locke, Lincoln and Broderick, were united under one board, one administration, and one staff of workers. The Lincoln Christian Center property was purchased by the urban redevelopment agency of Sacramento. The center will relocate in the year 1958. The work under the united staff and board may become a diversified and decentralized program.

A study was conducted of the South Chicago Neighborhood House by Miss Anna Aponas, field missionary, and Edward D. Rapp leading to several recommendations to strengthen this work. The Englewood Christian Center, because of the change that took place in the congregation of the local church, is currently in a state of transition. The future is yet to be determined, depending upon the sale of the building in which the Christian center is housed.

The Friendship House at Peoria, Ill., an interdenominational work sponsored by Baptists, Presbyterians, and Congregationalists, changed its site of work to a nearby church. All of the churches of the major denominations have moved out of the downtown area of the city. A new church was estab-

lished, and the weekday program is under the administration of the American Baptist Home Mission Societies and the Illinois Baptist Convention. A study was conducted of the East Side Christian Center in Indianapolis, seeking to strengthen its program and to enhance its standing and reputation in the community.

The Bethel Neighborhood Center in Kansas City, Kan., is currently undergoing a reevaluation of its program, because of the development of a major turnpike in its area. This throughway removed three hundred homes of the community which the center serves. The life of the center may be limited to a decade.

The Heath Christian Center was notified that its work will come to an end in its present location in the year 1958 because of urban redevelopment. The staff seeks new areas and ways of service.

Because of changed community needs and the bringing into the area of a Red Feather Agency, the Park Christian Center, St. Paul, Minn., was closed. It had fulfilled a very fine ministry and had performed the function of pointing out the needs of the community, so that community people began to meet those needs. The Wacouta Christian Center of St. Paul was closed because of urban redevelopment and was moved to the Grace Chapel.

Personnel needs loomed during 1957. The recruitment of missionaries, particularly of women, who feel a long-term sense of commitment, has grown to be an extremely difficult problem. In the meantime, the raising of standards for workers was implemented. In general, it is now required that men have college and seminary education and women college education. This meant that for a brief period of time there were vacancies on the fields which were not rapidly filled because of the raising of standards.

Psychological Testing

During the year the American Baptist Home Mission Boards recommended an experimental program in psychological interviewing and testing of missionary personnel. The purpose of this procedure was to aid in placement of potential missionaries. It has meant the placement of personnel in places where they could do their most effective work. It should provide the means of saving of money over a period of years because missionaries are more secure in their work relationships. The program will now become a permanent part of certain phases of our mission activities.

Internship and In-Service Training

The training program was strengthened during the current year for Christian center missionaries. This has taken two forms. One was in providing for new mission workers a period of orientation and internship. This means that they are no longer plunged into the work without a period of preparation. The second phase was in providing in-service training for missionaries who have been in the work for some time. It is hoped that the use of sabbatical leaves for educational purposes may be used extensively.

By far the majority of support for our Christian centers comes from community chests. This indicates that our work is being recognized as serving

the total community. We minister without regard to race, creed or color as American Baptists concerned for the evangelization of the community. Community chest support has limitations, however, in that some community chest organizations are now beginning tentatively to implement personnel policies concerning salary and training. Often these are secular policies which do not recognize missionary motivation. In some instances community chest groups are beginning to feel that social work standards, again without regard to missionary concern, must prevail. If this present policy continues, then we as American Baptists may find that we shall have to make decisions in the near future.

A new procedure was also followed this year in the implementation of board training sessions. Our Christian centers boards are volunteer boards doing wonderful work under difficult circumstances. We have sought to develop a way whereby we could cooperate with these boards in helping them to understand the purpose, policy and the program of the Christian centers.

Special Ministries

During 1957 the American Baptist Home Mission Societies supported very few bilingual mission stations, other than Spanish-speaking ones. The reason for this, as we noted in last year's report, was that most bilingual groups have decreased because of lessened migration, the Americanization of many groups, and the growth of the children into English-speaking adults. Some isolated ministries continued.

A special ministry was the work of Miss Astrid Peterson who served as the principal of a school for Chinese in San Francisco, Calif. The night school had an average enrollment of fifty-seven with an average attendance of forty-one. There were thirty-five volunteer teachers and 214 two-hour sessions. The top class reached the level of senior-high English. During the year five students were baptized. The Chinese reading room was open 165 nights.

Another special work was the Seamen's Mission of San Francisco, directed by Rev. Thorbjorn Olsen. A unique mission station was the Church for the Deaf in Los Angeles where Rev. Noble Hower is pastor.

Miss Leola Black served as a missionary to the Spanish-speaking people of Southern California as one of the special missionaries of the Department. She participated in teacher training and Christian education. She conducted boys' and girls' clubs after school and daily vacation Bible school.

Miss Florence Latter is a missionary in Michigan to Spanish-speaking people. During the year there were sixteen conversions on her field. She demonstrated deep concern for the work at Lansing, Port Huron, and Imlay City. Utilizing her house trailer she worked among the migrants in the fields of Michigan during the summer.

Another special worker was Mrs. Mae Katayama of the Japanese Nursery School of Seattle, Wash. This nursery school held 241 sessions with an average of fifty-one children, and an average attendance of forty-one.

Rev. Joachim Kudenchuk is a missionary to the Slovak people of the state of Washington. This also included work among Doukhobors in British

Columbia. There were more than one thousand home visitations. Mr. Kudenchuk preached at 187 meetings and conducted twenty radio programs. Gospel tracts in three languages were distributed.

Others doing specialized ministries were Miss Mary Murray of Detroit who is a trailer missionary. Mrs. Marie Ball serves as state missionary in Washington, working with new and small churches. Rev. Abraham Zegel is a missionary to the Jews in Pennsylvania. Miss Charlotte Cobb is a missionary to the Chinese in Milwaukee. Miss Dorothy Sangren works with a church in a defense community in Connecticut.

This Department has also participated in the work of the East Harlem Protestant Parish of New York, the Inner City Protestant Parish of Cleveland, and the West Side Christian Parish of Chicago.

Various members of the staff of the Department of Cities carried in addition to the work outlined in the preceding pages relationships with the National Council of Churches.

Summary

The 119 missionaries of the Department of Cities report sharing group responsibility with fifty-nine part-time workers, and 664 volunteers during the calendar year 1957.

Approximately 768 churches were reached through training institutions and the pastoral ministry. Sunday schools enrolled 8,317 and vacation church schools had 8,367 in attendance. Two hundred thirty-five persons were baptized. In addition to these contacts, many thousands were reached with the gospel message.

These figures do not accurately reflect the total work of all of the missionaries of the Department of Cities. The increased mobility means that very frequently a significant contact for Christ may be made in one area of the country but will not be consummated until persons move to another area of the country.

This has been a year of testing and education. We trust significant results will come from this reevaluation of program.

DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Secretary of the Department: Paul O. Madsen.

Field Representatives: Anna Aponas, field missionary in Cities; Harvey A. Everett, field representative in Church Planning and Strategy; E. B. Hicks, field representative in Educational Centers; Adam Morales, field representative in Spanish-speaking Work; Edward D. Rapp, field representative in Cities; James Scott, field representative in Church Planning and Strategy.

Juvenile Protection Program: Lawrence H. Janssen, director; Mary Ellen Hibbs, field missionary, Nick N. Neufeld, field representative.

NAMES OF MISSIONARIES AND THEIR FIELDS

ARIZONA

Knight, Ralph D., Phoenix, Valley Christian Centers
 Martinez, John A., Phoenix, Spanish
 McCoy, Mary, Phoenix, Valley Christian Centers
 Palacios, Ezekiel, Yuma, Mexican Church
 Quinonez, Horacio, Tucson, Spanish
 *Satoe, Lela Mae, Phoenix Christian Center
 *Scott, Doris, Phoenix Christian Center
 Walker, Sara Louise, Phoenix, Valley Christian Centers
 Yeates, Wallace D., Valley Christian Centers

CALIFORNIA (NORTHERN) — BAY CITIES

Brown, Vincent, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 *Cowles, Myrna, Broderick Christian Center
 Crone, Eleanor, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 Crone, Mary Opal, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 Fung, Edmund, San Mateo, Chinese
 Graves, Marilyn, Fresno, Chinese Christian Center
 *Hill, A. May, Locke, Chinese Christian Center
 Klinck, Dwight, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 Lanier, Veronica, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 Mitchell, Henry H., Oakland, Educational Center
 Mitchell, Louis D., Broderick Christian Center
 Olsen, Thorbjorn, San Francisco, Special Missionary
 Owens, Marilyn Jean, Broderick Christian Center
 Peterson, Astrid, San Francisco, Chinese
 *Phelps, H. Talmadge, Sacramento, Lincoln Christian Center
 Tong, Edward, Fresno, Chinese Christian Center

CALIFORNIA (SOUTHERN) —

LOS ANGELES

Ballesteros, Leonardo, San Ysidro, Spanish
 Black, Leola, Fullerton, Spanish
 Garcia, Portfirio, Ensenada, Mexico, Spanish
 Hower, Noble A., Los Angeles, Special Missionary
 Morales, Benjamin, Los Angeles, President, Spanish-American Baptist Seminary
 Palos, Javier, United Mexican Baptist Church

COLORADO

Banks, Helen, Denver Christian Center
 *Barbosa, Alonso, Pueblo, Spanish
 Herndon, Doris, Denver Christian Center
 Kuechmann, Robert J., Denver Christian Center

CONNECTICUT

Sangren, Dorothy, Poquonnock Bridge, Special Missionary

ILLINOIS — CHICAGO

Castillo, Miguel A., Waukegan, Spanish
 Denna, Ruben, Chicago, First Latin-American Church
 Dolk, Jeanette, South Chicago Neighborhood House
 Dudley, Amos, Englewood Christian Center
 Finney, Bessie, Peoria, Friendship House
 Garris, Isabel, South Chicago Neighborhood House
 Golonko, Elias L., Chicago, Polish
 Sanderson, Ralph D., South Chicago Neighborhood House
 *Smith, Robert, Englewood Christian Center
 Waddell, George, South Chicago Neighborhood House
 Wallace, Robert, Chicago Baptist Institute

INDIANA — INDIANAPOLIS

Brant, Patricia, Hammond, Brooks House
 Ems, Loretta, Hammond, Brooks House
 Mackin, Al, Hammond, Brooks House
 Martin, Mrs. Edna, Indianapolis, East Side Christian Center
 Williamson, Katie Lou, Hammond, Brooks House

IOWA

Evans, John Q., Des Moines, Educational Center

KANSAS

Buffum, Arcola, Kansas City, Bethel Neighborhood House
 Locke, Carl, Kansas City, Bethel Neighborhood House
 Long, Kathryn, Kansas City, Bethel Neighborhood House
 Smith, Harry, Topeka, Educational Center
 Wallace, Robert, Kansas City, Bethel Neighborhood House

MASSACHUSETTS — BOSTON

Boutwell, Roland, Boston Baptist Bethel Christian Center
 Bryon, Janet, Boston, Baptist Bethel Christian Center
 Enoch, Emma, Boston, Heath Christian Center
 Halko, Andrew, Boston Baptist Bethel Christian Center
 Kimble, Marian Ellen, Boston, Heath Christian Center
 Kinnaman, Mark, Boston, Heath Christian Center
 Makeham, Ruth, Boston Baptist Bethel Christian Center
 ****Oliveira, Manuel A., Taunton, Portuguese

MICHIGAN — DETROIT

Carlson, Carol Lee, Hamtramck, Detroit, Friendship House
 *Johnson, Julia, Hamtramck, Detroit, Friendship House
 Latter, Florence, Lansing, Spanish

Laughery, Birtie, Hamtramck, Detroit, Friendship House

Murray, Mary, Garden City, Special Missionary
Myczka, Andrew J., Saginaw, Russian

Pancake, Betty, Detroit, Gleiss Memorial Christian Center

***Pechous, Otilie, Detroit, Gleiss Memorial Christian Center

Rico, Camilo, Saginaw, Spanish

MINNESOTA — TWIN CITY

Baker, George, Minneapolis, William Axling Christian Center

Head, George, St. Paul, Grace Chapel

Lindquist, Judith, Minneapolis, William Axling Christian Center

**Lund, Jean, St. Paul, Wacouta Christian Center

*Miller, Robert, St. Paul, Park Christian Center

MISSOURI — KANSAS CITY

Macias, Juan A., Kansas City, Spanish

Sano, Sankin, Kansas City, Japanese

NEBRASKA

Raymundo, Manuel, Scottsbluff, Spanish

NEW JERSEY

Goodgame, Fannie, Newark Christian Center

Hatch, Grace, Camden Christian Center

Hirrschoff, Emil, Newark Christian Center

NEW YORK — BROOKLYN, BUFFALO, N. Y. C., ROCHESTER

Apolinar, Mary, Brooklyn, Emmanuel House

Barahona, Jorge, Brooklyn, Spanish Mission

Bowen, Kenneth, Buffalo, Hickory Street Christian Center

Clifford, Alma B., New York City, Spanish

Collea, Anthony, Rochester, Italian

Davis, Mrs. Zenobia, New York City, Educational Center

Hill, Horatio S., New York City, Educational Center

Huber, Virginia, New York City, Mariners' Temple

Ilsley, Hazel G., New York City, Special Missionary

Jasko, Daniel, New York City, Russian

Kemp, Stanley W., Brooklyn, Educational Center

*McKinney, Allen J., Buffalo, Emmanuel Christian Center

Moody, Howard, New York City, Judson Memorial Church

Petett, Ann, Brooklyn, Educational Center

Robertson, Rosenwald C., New York City, Mariners' Temple

***Soto-Fontanez, Santiago, Brooklyn, Spanish

Tanner, Ruth E., Buffalo, Emmanuel Christian Center

Warren, Mrs. Anne, New York City, Educational Center

Younger, George D., New York City, Mariners' Temple

*Resigned

**Retired

***Deceased

OHIO — CLEVELAND

Beauchamp, Nelson, Campbell, Spanish

Ferrer, Mrs. Lillian, Campbell Christian Center

Gathright, Jesse D., Campbell Christian Center

*Grady, Delores, Dayton Christian Center

Matteson, Barbara Ellen, Dayton Christian Center

Phillips, Grayce, Cleveland, Special Missionary

*Quiroga, Herminio, Campbell, Spanish

Simmons, Julius, Dayton Christian Center

St. Clair, Beverly, Dayton Christian Center

Stoner, Opal, Campbell Christian Center

Stonework, Mrs. Eugenia, Campbell Christian Center

Vainonen, Topias, Painesville, Finnish

Willhoite, Robert B., Dayton Christian Center

Williams, M. Basil, Campbell Christian Center

Williams, Sylvester, Cleveland, Christian Community Center

Younger, Paul, Cleveland, Inner City Protestant Parish

PENNSYLVANIA — PHILADELPHIA, PITTSBURGH

Beliasov, Alex J., Pittsburgh, Russian

Cates, Rachel, Rankin Christian Center

Criswell, Garland, Rankin Christian Center

Heimgartner, Dorothy, Rankin Christian Center

Hightower, Joseph, Rankin Christian Center

Jackson, John H., Pittsburgh, Educational Center

Jesakow, James M., Philadelphia, Polish

Robinson, Elizabeth, Philadelphia, St. John's Baptist Christian Center

Smith, Walter S., Rankin Christian Center

Zegel, Abraham M., Philadelphia, Special Missionary

WASHINGTON

Ball, Mrs. Marie, Seattle, State Missionary

Katayama, Mrs. Mae, Seattle, Japanese

Kudenchuk, Joachim, Seattle, Russian

WEST VIRGINIA

Farnsworth, Doris, Weirton Christian Center

Hoffman, Harold, Weirton Christian Center

Igarashi, Isaac, Weirton Christian Center

Lindholm, LaVaun, Weirton Christian Center

Powell, Robert B., Parkersburg, Educational Center

WISCONSIN

Cobb, Charlotte, Milwaukee, Chinese

*Craig, John A., Milwaukee Christian Center

Krueger, Nan, Milwaukee Christian Center

Lati, Bertha, Kenosha, Christian Center

Mendez, Eleucadio, Milwaukee, Spanish

Myers, Mildred, Milwaukee Christian Center

Smith, Kenneth, Milwaukee Christian Center

*Trotter, Rosemary, Milwaukee Christian Center

Walker, Lucius, Milwaukee Christian Center

Welch, Carol, Milwaukee Christian Center

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JOSEPH H. HEARTBERG AND HARVEY R. KESTER

Current Trends

Two and one-half million young men and women wear the uniform of some branch of American military service. While the total number of servicemen is on the decline, three million men are still trained each year because of the shorter periods of service required and the larger number of men accepting the three or six-month periods of training. The spiritual needs of these young people are met by nearly two hundred American Baptist Convention chaplains and an equal number of chaplains on reserve duty, including Civil Air Patrol and auxiliary chaplains. As American troops are committed to serve in various parts of the world, this Department has the responsibility of helping our churches follow their service personnel.

The combined quota for the three military branches of the service and the Veterans Administration was filled in 1957. There is still a need, however, for reserve chaplains and Civil Air Patrol chaplains. In the event of a national emergency this Department is prepared to embark upon a full recruitment program. A recent cut-back in military strength brought with it a reduction in force among our chaplains. In order to eliminate any undue hardship, chaplains who were discharged were granted \$150 per month by the denomination for a period not to exceed six months, until such time as they were able to find suitable employment within the denomination. Some state conventions matched this sum in instances where the chaplain served directly under the state secretary.

Many young ministers regard the chaplaincy as an opportunity to render an important missionary service. A number of theological students participate in the Navy and Army program for seminarians. Upon graduation, these young men will be available for active duty when they have fulfilled the pastoral requirements of our denomination. Some seminaries offer courses in chaplaincy orientation.

Our chaplains continue their important ministry to the nation's youth at one of the most impressionable periods of life as critical experiences are faced in all parts of the world. Christian education is an important phase of their ministry. Chaplains reach nearly a million dependents through church schools each year. To assist the chaplains the Department supplies *The New Life* (military edition), a training manual for converts. As a result of religious training and evangelistic efforts, our chaplains report nearly three thousand converts each year.

Converts are won on long, dangerous missions, in lonely isolated areas, in hospitals, in prisons, and during night shifts when guards patrol danger areas. Servicemen are won when men return from emergency furloughs, when

non-believers want to marry Christians, in time of bereavement, and as a result of a concerted effort on the part of concerned believers to evangelize.

Chaplains send in reports each month. At regular intervals the Secretary and the field representative visit chaplains at their places of responsibility. It was discovered that in a single year our 175 full-time chaplains gave 1,416 addresses in Baptist churches; gave religious instruction to 3,400 service personnel; attended 2,050 Baptist meetings; rendered 11,300 additional services to Baptist personnel; dedicated 355 infants; and reported 3,250 conversions and/or baptisms.

Our chaplains were also responsible for the religious education each month of 865 servicemen and dependents in Sunday schools. They made 210 visits to hospitals, military prisons, and homes and held 78 personal interviews.

Services to the chaplains, provided by the Department, include the regular mailing of the newsletter *The American Baptist Chaplain*, *Overseas News*, *Friends Through Books*, *Baptist News for Baptists*, *Pastors' Round Table*, *Missions*, *Crusader*, *The Adult Quarterly*, and *The Baptist Leader*.

Annual chaplains' retreats were sponsored by the denomination. At these retreats, in addition to listening to inspirational addresses, the chaplains discuss matters of mutual concern as Baptists and have an opportunity to talk with denominational representatives. These retreats precede the annual American Baptist Convention which makes it possible for chaplains to attend the convention as well. Approximately sixty persons attend these retreats each year.

Many pamphlets are supplied to youth in military service. *Military Service and You* is an elective course for youth groups in our churches. The booklet provides a basis for discussion by senior highs concerning the implications of military service. *Forward March* discusses problems and opportunities facing youth who are entering the service. *You Ask About Military Service* and *Your Choices in Military Service* are other pamphlets to help our youth make proper choices regarding military service.

In addition to literature, a cross and Bible insignia inscribed with the words American Baptist is used by our servicemen to remind them of our Baptist fellowship. The Department Secretary and field representative make visits to youth camps each year to counsel with youth facing military service. The local church, however, must carry the major responsibility for an effective ministry to these young people. The National Service Personnel Counseling Committee, with representatives from all denominational agencies, has been instrumental in creating a consciousness of this responsibility among our churches. The distribution of *Our Church's Ministry to Youth in Military Service* has also been of great help.

Service personnel counseling is one of the responsibilities of the formerly designated "student counselor." This title was changed to "counselor for students and service personnel." On the state level the counselor is a member of the Christian education committee and of the subcommittee of youth. He works with the director of Christian education. At the association and local church levels counselors know what resources for service personnel coun-

seling are available from this Department. Dr. Robert G. Torbet of the Board of Education and Publication and the Secretary of this Department cooperated in conferences with the counselors throughout the year. A handbook, *What is Counseling of Students and Service Personnel?*, is now being used by the counselors.

Because our servicemen are accepted more and more as a part of the community, there is a tendency for them to seek Christian fellowship within our convention churches, rather than becoming a distinct and separate part of the church constituency or being confined to the religious program of a military installation. This led to the reduction of the number of our servicemen's centers from eleven to seven over a two-year period. However, a need for overseas centers became evident in Alaska, Okinawa, Japan, Korea, the Philippines, and Hawaii. Temptations confronting military personnel must be met with a strong Christian emphasis. This is being accomplished by servicemen's centers and chaplains, who cooperate with our missionaries in making it possible for our servicemen to become acquainted with our missionary program and with indigenous Christians in over half of the countries of the world. Christian centers for service personnel provide an important ministry to lonely youth around the world. This Department participates, budgetwise, in seven such centers in the United States and Honolulu, and several in the Far East. More than 150,000 service personnel are reached each month through the centers.

This Department continues to have responsibility for Conscientious Objectors who desire employment in the Alternate Service Program. Assistance is given by this Department through correspondence and cooperation with department heads who administer institutions authorized for such employment. At present ten Baptists are engaged in such service.

In October, 1956, some twenty-five leaders, both pacifist and non-pacifist, gathered to discuss the Christian's attitude toward war and peace. These included educators, pastors, laymen and women, youth, and home mission administrators, as well as military chaplains. Groundwork was laid for a conference of a committee of eight representing a variety of points of view. The conference produced a booklet for youth which was published in 1957 entitled, *What About War?* The booklet is geared to help youth to understand the problems involved in participating in war.

The Department of Christian Ministry to Service Personnel cooperates with other denominational groups through the General Commission on Chaplains in Washington, D. C. The Department enjoys excellent relations with the Chiefs of Chaplains of the respective military branches. Through their cooperation we receive information which makes it possible to be helpful to all our chaplains.

Summary

We need to maintain a vital ministry to our service personnel in order to help them maintain their faith; keep them in touch with the church; encourage our best youth to enter full-time Christian service; evangelize our servicemen; provide a wholesome Christian atmosphere on the installations; and strengthen our Baptist fellowship around the world.

As a denomination we implement our ministry to service personnel through support of servicemen's centers, distribution of Christian literature, and counseling services. We give guidance to churches in keeping in touch with their service personnel through assistance in organizing servicemen's committees and through publications to be used in programming. We sponsor religious retreats for servicemen and chaplains, explore channels through which our ministry may be expanded, and act as liaison between the military and the denomination.

DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Secretary of the Department: Joseph H. Heartberg.

Field Representative: Harvey R. Kester.

Committee on Chaplains: Ralph C. Walker, Chairman; Charles A. Carman, Martin England, Joseph H. Heartberg, Osgoode H. McDonald, Daniel H. Miller, Reuben E. Nelson, Irvin Nutt, Hubert Porter, and William H. Rhoades.

AMERICAN BAPTIST CHAPLAINS

Regular Army

Ames, Kenneth L.
Benner, Herman N.
Donahue, Edward T.
Hutchins, Gordon E.
Jaeger, Vernon P.
Jones, Edwin A.
Justice, Willard
Lindsey, Chester R.
Pugh, Ralph
Smith, Charles M.
Tobey, Frank A.
Wessman, Willis

Army Reserve

Albus, Leslie P.
Anderson, Robert Charles
Appelquist, Albin R.
Barr, Lincoln
Bearce, Harry F.
Bentley, Frank
Briggs, David L.
Browne, Clinton E.
Carson, Edward G.
Cross, Haywood K.
Curd, John T.
Currie, James W.
DeBoer, Stewart
Drake, Dayton
Edge, Herbert S.
Fredine, Allan R.
Gannon, John E.
Giuliano, Anniello
Goewey, James H.
Golder, William P.
Goss, Charles
Hall, Edwin F.
Hoffman, Fredrick
Hoffman, Vonald
Hoffmeyer, William T.
Jones, Gerald
Lent, Peter
Limkeman, August
MacDonald, Ian M.
Mills, Arthur E.
Murdock, Llewellyn Lewis, Jr.
Nelson, Vincent E.
Osborn, Ralph T.

Pratt, Charles
Purdy, Ralph R.
Stotsenburg, Charles A.
Wells, Paul K.
Wilson, Daniel
Withrow, Warren
Zinz, George W.

National Guard

Dowdy, Clyde
Sullivan, Glenn R.

Regular Navy

Anderson, Arthur R.
Austin, Henry E.
Bakker, Peter J.
Brooks, William
Buckingham, H. W.
Carlson, Kenneth W.
Chase, Richard P.
Cleaves, Richard D.
Cuthriell, W. F.
Day, Edgar A.
Dominy, Arthur L.
Ford, Thaine
Gardner, Calvin
Hardage, Owen A.
Hearn, William N.
Hester, James D.
Hollis, W. F.
Howe, Harris W.
Howland, Barker C.
Jenkins, Robert E.
Johns, Harry D.
Jones, Glyn
Jones, Robert "Q"
LeMaster, Donald C.
McPhee, Peter R.
MacNeill, Harold A.
Morris, Bernard N.
Moye, Thomas
Nelson, Everett B.
Northrup, Vernon C.
Schwyhart, Robert M.
Taylor, William A.
Tuxbury, Vernon W.
Vanderpoel, George E.
Whitman, James A.

Naval Reserve

Bergeson, L. G.
Burr, Beryl L.
Carlo, Joseph
Elliot, Paul R.
Gracey, Orice F.
Griffin, Jack B.
Jensen, Andrew
Kary, Charles
Knauer, George A.
MacPherson, Keith
Murray, Alfred L.
Paulson, S. M.
Thompson, George W.
Van Landingham, Robert
Walker, William
Wright, Wm. J.

Regular Air Force

Alt, Eugene
Brenner, Arthur E. K.
Flood, William E.
Hoop, George E.
Johnson, Maurice A.
Martenev, Charles W.
Wakefield, Charles W.
Wills, Charles

Air Force Reserve

Anderson, Walter R.
Arnold, Frank M.
Barnes, Charles J.
Bishop, George
Bowen, Vondell
Bristow, Henry C.
Buckley, Harold
Buttry, Lucas
Chase, Aubrey B.
Cormack, Everett W.
Davis, James W.
Dymmel, Elmer
Edmondson, Vernon R.
Everts, Clinton R.
Foss, Henry A.
Grandstaff, Earl C.
Guy, Myrwood
Hadlock, Charles E.

Haggard, Russell C.
 Jackson, Ben W.
 Johnson, James W.
 Jones, Donald N.
 Kreuzer, Lewis H.
 LeRoux, Arthur W.
 Lewis, Willis M.
 Little, John C.
 Maase, Robert L.
 Mack, Earl A.
 Malone, Robert
 Newhern, William C.
 Osborn, Walter J.
 Pace, Ralph R.
 Poorman, J. Walter
 Rathjen, David E.
 Robinson, Elliot
 Sanders, John S.
 Schade, Paul G.
 Smith, Charles E.

Smith, Cortland V.
 Unger, Orvil T.
 Westlake, McDonald H.
 Williams, David J.
 Woods, Ransom B.

Veterans Administration

Anderson, Henry
 Bowling, Lewis P.
 Clark, John A.
 Coleman, David
 Cutton, George L.
 Davenport, Rowland
 Demmel, Clyde K.
 Donnelly, Clarence Shirley
 Edwards, Norman E.
 Erickson, Ralph L.
 Eskridge, James O.

Evans, David
 Franklin, John Shade
 Geary, Dean
 Hall, Frank S.
 Kellie, Lester W.
 Liles, Lester R.
 Mosher, Charles B.
 Newlon, Odus C.
 Olsen, Norman R.
 Ray, Earl E.
 Selin, Lawrence L.
 Short, Charles C.
 Smith, Robert Johnson
 Smith, Stanley E.
 Smith, Willard S.
 Strippy, Charles W.
 Thorne, Ennis P.
 Wagner, Maurice E.
 White, Walter H.
 Williamson, Lewis W.

RESERVE CHAPLAINS NOT ON ACTIVE DUTY

Army Active Reserve

Anderson, Arvid L.
 Ault, Wallace V.
 Backlund, Elmer
 Black, Lewis Glenn
 Buckland, Floyd H.
 Cain, Alva N.
 Cain, Elmer J.
 Cain, E. James
 Corpening, Albert N.
 Cox, Vincent
 Cutlip, George
 Davis, Donald G.
 Detwiler, Garrett
 Dunlop, Donald J.
 Elliott, Michael C.
 Erickson, Walfred
 Fleck, James M.
 Fordham, Buford
 Goldsmith, James D.
 Gorsline, Leon N.
 Greenwold, Granville
 Gregory, Stanley
 Grotty, Gerald H.
 Gustafson, Herman
 Henderson, Phillips B.
 Jones, Roy E.
 Lang, George E.
 Logee, Lyndall D.
 Longfellow, Roy
 Luehrs, Howard H.
 MacCombie, Herbert
 Marks, Lon T.
 Marshall, Roy M.
 Martin, Russell G.
 McInnes, Thomas J.
 McKelvey, Charles R.
 Merrifield, Glenn M.
 Miles, R. Judson
 Murdock, Llewellyn L.
 Molten, Warren L.
 Neff, Elmer J.
 Nichols, Frederick G.
 Norton, Willard A.
 Pace, Ross A.
 Parsons, Forest
 Peterson, Harold I.
 Poole, Laverne S.
 Reed, Willis A.
 Reddie, Arthur C.
 Reynolds, John H.
 Rott, Ralph R.
 Shepherd, Clayton
 Sidler, Earl R.

Sivertson, Eddie
 Smith, Jame H.
 Stemple, Earl
 Stevenson, Forrest C.
 Stupka, Vincent P.
 Tarcy, Paul
 Taylor, Horace M.
 Ward, Edward G.
 Whipple, Ivan C.
 White, Urven V.
 Warren, W. Willard
 Wilson, David L.

Army Inactive Reserve

Doty, Harold E.
 Harvey, Theodore
 Schweissing, Frank
 Zeigler, James N.

Auxiliary Chaplains

Gire, Milton L.
 Jones, Carl B.
 Nielson, Jonathan

Navy Reserve Chaplains

Beynon, Lee J., Jr.
 Brehaut, Lewis M.
 Chase, James S.
 Christ, Robert
 Craig, John A.
 Hotaling, Gage
 Howland, Joseph A.
 Husted, Wesley P.
 Karpa, Karl
 Kelly, Lawrence B.
 Lawrence, William D.
 MacFarlane, William N.
 MacQueen, David A.
 Mates, John H.
 Miller, Theo. E.
 Morash, Talmadge
 Ortloff, F. William
 Peterson, Oliver E.
 Porter, Harry A.
 Reynolds, Stephen M.
 Rybnicek, Edward
 Smith, Charles L.
 Stump, Levi R.
 Travis, Paul
 Twait, Truman D.

Ullom, Max E.
 White, Ericile L.
 Wilkins, Loring P.
 Whitaker, Milton O.
 Williams, Harrison E.
 Weed, Roy

National Guard Chaplains

Atkinson, Frank J.
 Broyles, R. A.
 Brown, Cecil W.
 Ferreira, Joseph A.
 Fung, Edmund
 Gardiner, E. E.
 Hanley, Frederick V.
 Hanson, Arthur L.
 Herrstrom, Brewster C.
 Lantz, Donald
 Lockhart, Ben. T.
 Marston, Arthur C.
 Stairs, Ondon P.
 Wessel, Walter W.
 Wildin, Rollin V.

Air Force Reserve Chaplains

Anderson, Stanley
 Baldridge, Gage R.
 Bruce, Alexander
 Bryden, John C.
 Coffee, James R.
 Dryden, Gerald C.
 Dodgson, Arthur S.
 Fisher, Robert A.
 Flood, Wallace D.
 Franklin, Blake M.
 Holly, Robert E.
 Iddins, Bert. R.
 King, Raleigh A.
 Ladd, James
 Lindstrom, Carl E.
 Marrs, George H.
 McBride, James W.
 McPhee, Richard S.
 Morrison, Murdoch
 Nicholson, Harold E.
 Parker, John B.
 Peterson, Glenn A.
 Ricketts, Ronald
 Smith, Charles E.
 Speese, James S.
 Vroom, Peter

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Edifice Funds and Building Counsel
Department Organized in 1853

MOVEMENT FORWARD

LINCOLN B. WADSWORTH

Current Trends

It is estimated that over \$8,700,000 was spent on building programs by the churches in the United States during 1957. Analyses show that although there was a decrease in many types of building, church building activity increased considerably during the year. As the cost of building supplies and labor increases the financing of church buildings becomes a much heavier responsibility. It is noted, however, that the churches are making better financial preparation and so are in a stronger position, as a whole, to bear the weight of this responsibility.

Edifice Funds

With over \$2,000,000 in the regular Church Edifice Loan Funds, plus approximately two and one-quarter million dollars in the Churches for New Frontiers fund, plus a bank "line of credit" of \$3,000,000, the work of financing church building programs has moved forward rapidly. We now have over 500 active loan accounts, plus approximately 385 long-established contingent mortgages on church properties. Nearly all of the active loans are being repaid on a constant monthly payment basis, which cares for both the amortization of principal and interest.

Building Counsel

The technique of building counsel is being improved year by year. When the building planning committee of a church meets with a representative of our Societies and asks questions about the new experience which is to be theirs in the building program, it is a real joy to be able to give guidance and direction. The gratitude of the church for this aid gives the Department staff encouragement. This service is provided by our Societies without cost to the church.

Capital Fund Campaigns

Our Societies did not ask for the task of providing leadership in this field. This is a service which grew out of a pressing need. Many years ago, when churches had difficulty repaying their loans, Rev. T. D. King was called to our staff to help these churches raise the money needed to repay their loans. Mr. King did such good work in this field that other churches began to ask for his services in the raising of capital funds. They were willing to pay \$25 a day, plus his travel and living expenses, for this work. However, the churches began to feel that they were paying a high rate on this "per diem" scale, not realizing how much off-the-field preparation was being given for each day of on-the-field service.

Later a flat rate of \$600 for each campaign, plus expenses, was established and there was little criticism of this fee. Still later it was recognized that because of rising costs a fee of \$750, plus expenses, would be needed. Then as the work grew and more men were placed on the staff to do this work, it was considered reasonable to expect that the church should pay most of the cost to our Societies for this leadership. With increasing experience we were able to average these costs and provide a flat rate for this leadership.

Also at about this time it was recognized that this flat rate would have to be varied because of local situations and size of campaigns. We now have a flat rate of \$975 for the normal campaign in which the director spends two weeks on the field after six or eight weeks of preparation off the field. This includes the cost of the director's travel and living expenses on the field. A number of churches, however, have asked for a longer period of training and leadership and are glad to pay \$1,450 for this. The director spends at least three weeks on the field in the intensive part of the campaign. It appears that some will want even more time and leadership training, and will be willing to pay \$1,925 for this service. There is so much demand for this leadership that the campaigns are scheduled months ahead of any particular date during the year.

Some facts concerning this leadership are extremely important. In the first place, it is recognized that this is a financial campaign and there is an earnest desire that the goal of the campaign be reached and surpassed. However, we believe that it is more important for the church to have an enriching spiritual experience in the campaign than it is to reach its financial goal. A campaign is not considered successful unless it also brings this spiritual enrichment to the church.

In the second place, we know that only a portion of the churches can be served through this Department. Therefore, it is evident that the cost of this leadership is a justifiable charge to the church. Churches which secure commercial fund raising service, have to pay several thousands of dollars. The churches who receive this service from us pay only enough to care for most of the actual costs to our Societies.

In the third place, the church recognizes that our fund raising is one of training and direction. The director is not expected to do the actual canvassing in the church. It is his job to give guidance to the church, direction in the organization of the program, and training for the volunteer leaders.

Review of Building Plans

More and more emphasis is placed on the need of reviewing preliminary sketches for the local church. At the same time we discourage the review of working drawings and specifications. If criticism is given of the working drawings and specifications, it is extremely difficult and often costly for the church to make the needed adjustments. Therefore, we request that the churches send to this Department only the preliminary sketches for review. From time to time conferences are arranged with either Mr. Daniel D. Merrill or Mr. Herbert Holmgren so that these sketches may be studied and recommendations made.

Literature

For a number of years we depended upon the literature which was available. Now a number of excellent books and booklets have been prepared which are up-to-date and which give excellent help to the church. The churches are glad to pay the actual cost for this material in order to acquire general background information needed for the building program.

Summary

A church building program is a new experience to most of the people involved. We are able to help through providing building counsel, leadership for capital fund campaigns, loans, the review of preliminary sketches, and literature so that the church may have the advantage of the resources of those who have had much experience in this field. It is the aim of this Department to instill in the leaders of the local church a sense of challenge that will overcome all reticence and trepidation as they move forward to build.

DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Secretary of the Department: Lincoln B. Wadsworth.

Field Representatives: Edward Catlos, Edward E. Chipman, Wesley Dixon, Michael C. Elliott, Harold J. Litsey, D. Ralph Nichols, Horace M. Taylor.

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Evangelism

Department Organized in 1919

FRONTIERS OF THOUGHT AND ACTION

JITSUO MORIKAWA

Current Trends

To evangelize is to offer people opportunity to know and to acknowledge as supremely relevant to themselves, the redeeming action of God in their behalf. It is to invite them to enter by repentance and faith into the new life of the redeemed and witnessing community which Christ brought into being, and in which He rules as Lord. The nature of that experience, and its meaning for the person in his total relationships, is the deep and searching concern of the Department of Evangelism as it seeks to prepare the American Baptist constituency for the coming Baptist Jubilee Advance.

It was inevitable that the new responsibilities thrust upon the Department of Evangelism by the Baptist Jubilee Advance would necessitate the opening of new frontiers of thought and action in the field of evangelism. The experience of the year, however, proved that this is possible only because of the excellent leadership and building of program suited to the need of the time, which preceded the current regime. On this firm foundation the present program proceeds with confidence and continuity.

In a series of evangelism workshops across the convention during the early months of 1957, the new Secretary was introduced to a broad cross-section of the convention. He utilized the opportunity thus afforded to interpret the purposes of the coming Jubilee Advance, and share his vision of what should constitute the road to its fulfillment.

Exploration of what this would require in staff organization and personnel has engaged the Department throughout the year. Development of working committees and relationship with the national, state, and city agencies comprising the convention, has also been a central core of the work of the Department. Simultaneously program planning for the Advance proceeded with vigor, and the task of evangelism itself continued fruitfully through the national field staff, with evangelistic effort among adults, children, and youth.

In January, 1957, a broad tentative outline for the five years of the Jubilee Advance was presented to the Jubilee Advance Committee. This was the result of the contributed suggestions and ideas from a wide cross section of the American Baptist Convention, laity, pastors, and convention staff personnel. During the year the outline underwent study and revision by personnel from all the agencies, including representatives in evangelism of the state conventions and city societies in the work sessions at Green Lake during the Evangelism and Bible Conference. In this revised form it became the raw material for working subcommittees.

The Advance As a Cooperative Enterprise

The Baptist Jubilee Advance is the commitment of seven Baptist bodies in North America to engage in a five-year concerted evangelistic witness to the nation. These are the Southern Baptist Convention, the Baptist Federation of Canada, the National Baptist Convention of America, the National Baptist Convention of U. S. A., Inc., the North American Baptist General Conference, the Baptist General Conference of America, and the American Baptist Convention. The Advance will culminate in the Third Jubilee, celebrating in 1964 the 150th anniversary of the founding of Baptist work in North America. The singular emphasis is evangelism by means of: cooperative witness (1959), Bible teaching and training (1960), stewardship and enlistment (1961), church extension (1962), and world missions (1963). Within this board framework each convention will work out its own program in the light of its particular situation. Thus American Baptists have set as their targets for the five-year period: Mission to the Academic Community, 1959-60; Mission to the local Church, 1960-61; Mission to the Unchurched, 1961-62; Mission to the Social Frontier, 1962-63; and Mission to the World, 1963-64. These missions were carefully woven into a powerful unit, each year's distinctive emphasis adding freshness and focus, while the sequence moves logically and naturally from beginning to consummation.

A Demanding Theological Task

The year 1957 was one of two preparatory years. We believed the prior need in evangelism was to engage in a searching reappraisal, reflecting on the nature of the gospel and the church. The task was a demanding theological one in which we needed to think afresh in contemporary terms about such questions as: What does it mean to be lost today? What does it mean to be saved today? An advisory committee comprising some of our finest theologians and ministers began to hammer out on the anvil of our contemporary life the nature of our task. We recommended to every minister and laymen the serious discipline of reading, reflection and reexamination of our Christian mission. The study paper which is being written as a result of the work of this group will be distributed to the ministers of the convention in advance of a series of conferences in 1958, and will form the basis for searching discussion in these conferences.

Development of Organization

Seven delegates represent the American Baptist Convention on a joint planning committee through which the cooperative aspects of the Advance are developed. These are Reuben E. Nelson, W. Hubert Porter, C. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. Howard Roach, Clarence W. Cranford, R. Dean Goodwin, and Jitsuo Morikawa. This is to be augmented by an additional member each year representing the special year's emphasis.

A representative committee created by the General Council carries the central responsibility for the American Baptist aspects of the Advance. The Department of Evangelism of the American Baptist Home Mission Societies was assigned the executive leadership for the convention. The committee will work through subcommittees augmented by personnel from various convention agencies.

The Department Staff and Its Relationships

Study and exploration involving the restructuring of the Department staff is taking place, based on the development of a philosophy of Department function and consequent leadership needs, as described below. Relationship to state conventions and city societies is also affected by this philosophy and thorough exploration is being made of its implications.

A Philosophy of Leadership of the Department of Evangelism

I. The General Religious and Theological Climate in which the Department of Evangelism functions, is one

- ... of exciting revival and renewal in theological reflection on the nature and the meaning of the gospel and the church.
- ... in which the question of communication has become a prior concern in the mission of the church.
- ... in which both in the ecumenical movement and in the international missionary councils the question of evangelism and mission has become the most live and crucial issue for the church's faith and life.
- ... in which evangelism is being rediscovered in broader and deeper terms as involving not only kerygma (proclamation), but koinonia (fellowship), and diakonia (service).
- ... in which American Baptists are confronted with the urgent necessity of reappraising its whole evangelistic task.

II. The American Baptist Convention and the Department of Evangelism

1. The Convention senses increasingly the need of moving from autonomous and unrelated operations toward integration and a corporate ministry.
2. The Convention conceives of the Department of Evangelism, though structured in the American Baptist Home Mission Societies, as serving the entire denomination and to structurally implement this assumption the Secretary of Evangelism is a member of the Staff Committee on Program Coordination.
3. The Department of Evangelism has the central leadership of the Baptist Jubilee Advance. The Secretary of Evangelism is the Executive Director of the Baptist Jubilee Advance. This leadership relationship may be a clue as to how the Department should function permanently in relation to the denomination.

III. The City Societies and the State Conventions and the Department of Evangelism

1. The Department's ministry conceives of its mission to local churches less in terms of direct administration and relationship, and more through the intermediate organization of the city societies and the state conventions.

2. Our national program of evangelism will increasingly be planned in closest collaboration with states and cities departments of evangelism, while it is hoped the cities' and states' plans and programs of evangelism would be made in the context of the total national program.
3. The staff of the Department of Evangelism will have as a part of its responsibility maintaining close collaborative relationship with the states and cities.

IV. Staff of the Department of Evangelism

1. The chief contribution of the Department of Evangelism is to do the most creative thinking and planning in evangelism and make these creative resources available to the whole denomination.
2. The staff must be conceived in terms of areas of specialization, such as:
 - (1.) Evangelism through preaching,
 - (2.) Evangelism through Christian education,
 - (3.) Evangelism through the apostolate of the laity,
 - (4.) Evangelism through counseling,
 - (5.) Evangelism through the written word.
3. Each member of the staff would be expected to do a great deal of reflection, reading, studying, writing, and speaking in the particular area of specialization in evangelism. We would bring together the most creative insights from around the world and make them available to the denomination.
4. It is assumed that each member of the staff would be subject to call to lead in evangelistic training conferences, as well as actual evangelistic missions. While this latter has been a major emphasis in the Department, in the light of the above character of leadership, this aspect of the Department's ministry will receive less emphasis than before.

The search for staff personnel to fill the vacancies occasioned by the resignation or retirement of several of the area directors of evangelism, is being done on the basis of the above philosophy.

The Years of Preparation

Throughout 1957, program planning took place which might enable the churches and their leaders to experience the kind of preparation of spirit and understanding of the nature and meaning of evangelism, which will provide the needed basis for the Advance itself. The basic action recommended for the year is that of reading and reflection, for which a book list with reading suggestions has been prepared. A series of events was also projected for various groups of personnel, beginning with a Day of Prayer for all the churches in the seven bodies and ending with the formal launching of the Advance for the nineteen million Baptists involved, on New Year's Eve, 1958.

The Ongoing Task—Through Regional Directors

Reports accumulated from our national staff of seven regional directors who serve the churches and cooperate with the state conventions' evangelism program, show an impressive record of fruitful service. While the proportionate division of responsibility varies from region to region according to the needs and requests for service, the type of service rendered covers a broad field of leadership. This field comprises advisory and consultative service in planning meetings and conference sessions with pastors in local situations, with association committees and state commissions on evangelism; interpretation and training in methods and techniques through workshops, clinics, conferences, and local church efforts; and direct evangelistic work in leadership of home visitation in local churches or united efforts, preaching and teaching assignments, and missions of various kinds. The following figures, in addition to the table accompanying this report, give an idea of the extent of this service during the past year: an estimated 3,455 personal conferences held, 625 group conferences conducted, 594 sermons and addresses given to a total of over 62,000 people, and 838 other meetings attended.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude and appreciation for the teamwork and dedication to the cause of Christ which has characterized this staff, that we bid farewell to four staff members: Ernest O. Forde, C. Arlin Heydon, and Cletis R. Brown by retirement from full-time service, and Bruce E. Mills to another avenue of service.

Through State Directors

In two western states, our Department assists in the maintenance of directors who give half their time to the work of evangelism. This comprises work with association evangelism committees in conducting clinics and workshops in evangelism, visitation evangelism programs. Glenn Peterson reports that in his state of South Dakota "our association committees on evangelism are well organized but in need of a better definition of their task. Church committees in evangelism are in even greater need; therefore immediate steps were taken to help the churches build this committee in anticipation of the Jubilee Advance." Of special interest in the report from Reuben C. Kruschwitz of North Dakota is that "our stress on the importance of the work of the teachers in the Sunday church school and their responsibility as soul winners has greatly strengthened our teaching ministry, and the follow-up program is taking on new meaning."

Through Evangelism Among Children

Miss Margaret Crain, director of this program, reports that "this has been a banner year for the Winning the Children for Christ program. We have sensed a new eagerness on the part of the churches for this program of evangelism of children. Our staff now numbers four regional missionaries, made possible by funds received through the Children's Day offering. We received with regret the resignation of Mrs. Park T. Rushford, but were grateful to find two such capable and devoted persons as Miss Diana Zediker and Miss Jeanette Janson to join the staff. A summer of training and service at the Children's Center in Green Lake was followed by a full program

including regional laboratory schools, demonstration teaching, and leadership training, as well as winning the children programs which combined preparation of leaders and direct outreach to children."

Through Youth Evangelism

From Kenneth Peterson, director, comes report of an active year with four internes assisting in a broad program of youth evangelism based especially in youth evangelism week-ends. Exploration was made of the implications of the Jubilee Advance program for the national youth program, and the Baptist Youth Fellowship will base its program on it for the years to come.

Summary

This year has been one of laying groundwork out of which the coming year of intensive study, prayer, and thought on the meaning of evangelism has taken form and has been given impetus. Faith that God will move his people to new insight, honest facing of the deep issues, and surrender of self-directed action for that which follows the way of God, at whatever cost, is the note on which we move out of the old year into the new.

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Administrative Assistant: F. Lenore Kruse.

Youth Evangelism: Kenneth E. Peterson.

Evangelism Among Children: Margaret L. Crain.

REGIONAL DIRECTORS

Briggs, Carleton L., Tri-State Area

**Brown, Cletis R., East Central

**Forde, Ernest O., Pacific

**Heydon, C. Arlin, West Central

*Mills, Bruce E., Atlantic

Raycroft, Paul D., Plateau

REGIONAL MISSIONARIES

Arnold, Mildred L., West Central

Janson, Jeannette, East Central

*Rushford, Mrs. Park

Wagner, Florence, Atlantic

Zediker, Diana, Pacific

STATE DIRECTORS

Kruschwitz, Reuben C., North Dakota

Peterson, Glenn, South Dakota

*Resigned

**Retired

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Current Trends

Each succeeding visit to Alaska brings an impression of increasing permanence and stability. Alaskans express confidence that statehood will soon be granted. Encouraging evidence of oil deposits have been found. New roads are blueprinted to unite the majority of Alaskan communities. Water power is unlimited. When industry can be persuaded to avail itself of these resources a marked growth in population is predicted. Statehood seems to be the key to the continuing expansion of Alaska. Meanwhile, defense remains the major base of economy with a constant procession of service personnel and their families. These groups make heavy demands upon housing, merchandising, schools, and government. Churches are challenged by the need for expanding ministries which are not always easy to maintain with continuous changes in lay leadership. American Baptists have been negligent in following their own people to Alaska. While there are many churches of many kinds in Alaska, adherents of a particular denomination deserve the privilege of developing their own kind of church with the support of denominational agencies. A church in Anchorage, where nearly one-half the entire population lives, will meet this need.

The formal relating of Indian work to state conventions in an arrangement of joint administration with the Home Mission Societies was accomplished in April, 1957. Prior to this change, each Indian field was visited by the Secretary for Indian Work accompanied in most instances by the Executive Secretary for the respective state conventions so that the Indian people might have an understanding of what the new relationship would be and register their approval. Since then there has been a new sense of status for the Indian churches. Pastors and people participated more fully in state and association meetings. They have a growing self-respect and recognition of the possibilities of self-support. A number of churches made significant advances in this direction. Very little Federal legislation relative to Indian affairs has been enacted. Congress has not passed any bills which were opposed by Indian tribal groups nor followed through with the amendments on overall bills which have been requested by the Indians and many other citizens.

Our three schools continue to provide the peculiar ministry for which they were founded. All desire to be of maximum service to the denomination. How this can best be effected is a matter of constant study and evaluation.

*The department was organized at the time of the integration of the two Home Mission Societies. Work in these areas was carried on through other departments: the first Indian field, 1806; Alaska, 1886 and schools, 1862.

ALASKA

Kodiak

Since the completion of three hundred to four hundred new housing units, Kodiak has a population of about four thousand. A large number are related to the naval base and thus remain in the area for only twenty-four months. This poses many problems for the church in finding new church officers and teachers. The pastor and director of Christian education maintain an extensive program of calling, week-day activities for children, and minister to a Sunday attendance of nearly three hundred.

Miss Marlin returned from furlough at the beginning of the year. Rev. John Molletti and his family were on furlough in the states from May until August. During this time, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. McQuery of Palisades, Colo., served as interim pastor. During the pastor's absence a new parsonage was built entirely financed by the local congregation.

The Church of God and the Assembly of God built churches in Kodiak this year. The Slavic Gospel Mission operates a center and church program. There is a Russian Orthodox and a Roman Catholic church in Kodiak. The Protestant ministers formed a ministers' association and sponsored one joint evangelistic service.

The children's home provided temporary or permanent care for seventy children. Because of an epidemic in a mainland village, twenty children were brought to Kodiak for hospitalization. The mission provided convalescent care for nine of them while they were awaiting return transportation. Older children were encouraged to seek summer and after-school employment in order to learn the value of work and the use of their own money. Miss Graziano returned from furlough in February. Miss Turner was married and left the mission in April. Utilizing lumber after dismantling army buildings, a new barn was built to replace the one burned last year and a new garage was built. All of the staff and several older children assumed responsibility in church work, serving as officers, teachers, custodians, and helpers.

At Ouzinkie the child care and center program was continued at Baker Cottage but with growing concern as to whether there might be a better balanced living for the children if they could be moved to Kodiak to participate in the school and church there as well as the larger family relationship.

The *Evangel* workers held services in villages, canneries and on ship-board in many parts of the islands during the summer months and continued the chapel program at Larsen Bay during the winter. The response of Filipino and Eskimo seasonal cannery workers was especially gratifying. As in many Indian communities the village people alternately participate and withdraw. This seems to be due to both tribal and church influences. With adequate housing impossible at Larsen Bay, with two children ready for high school, and with the possibility of economy in operation if the boat is based nearer to marine repairs and supply shops, plans are underway to move the base for the *Evangel* to the Kodiak side of the island. Rev. and Mrs. Norman Smith and their family came to the States for furlough in September to remain through the school year.

Workers from the church, children's home, and the *Evangel* joined in conducting three weeks of graded camping at Woody Island; a men's retreat and work party, and a W.W.G. houseparty were also held there. The warehouse was adapted for chapel and classrooms. It is hoped that a camp leader from the States may assist in the camps next year.

Cordova

At Cordova changes in leadership were made at hospital and church. The combination of dual responsibility as hospital administrator and pastor seemed an impossible load for one person. Miss Millicent Engel, R. N., was installed as hospital administrator in September and a new pastor is due to arrive on the field in January. The Christian center remains under the same leadership with a growing participation by the community in activities and support.

An interim pastor on the field for three months helped to organize church committees, to conduct the first every member canvass, and to hold training classes for church leaders. Support and attendance increased.

Anchorage

To ascertain the potential for an American Baptist church in Anchorage, Rev. and Mrs. Livingston Lomas were sent for the month of July to study the area. A number of American Baptist families were located. While many of them are now identified with other churches, they indicated that they would welcome the planning of an American Baptist church in Anchorage. Several of them stand ready to participate. It is felt that the combination of evangelistic zeal and social conscience with which American Baptists do their work is a needed asset and a compelling attraction as new people of varying church backgrounds come to Anchorage. It is planned that as soon as suitable leadership can be found the Societies will undertake to work with the people of Anchorage in starting a church in the downtown area.

Summary

There is continuing need for closer ties between Alaska churches and American Baptists in the States. Some steps were possible. Two missionary families on furlough during this year helped in one direction. The services of two pastors from the States were made available to Cordova for the interim between pastors, and a supply pastor was provided for Kodiak during the pastors' furlough. The Washington Convention and churches of that area, to which the Alaska churches are linked by associational membership, give serious thought to ways in which they can provide additional contacts in Alaska and in Washington.

INDIAN WORK

Arizona

For the people of Poston the completion and dedication of the new church building brought a sense of victory and a new commitment for the witness which the building symbolizes. Both men and women donated labor, worth approximately \$16,000. The work parties cemented fellowship as well

as completing the work. A considerable indebtedness still challenges, and the people not only increased their giving to meet payments but also for their current expenses. Church attendance included people of many backgrounds, agency and school employees, and migrant cotton pickers, as well as the resident Indian farmers. Miss Lolita Stickler was on study leave during the fall term.

The adaptation of farming continues in the Valley with the expectation that increasing assignments of extended acreages in the southern end of the Valley will be made to white farmers. It is not now thought that this will hamper the development of Indian farming. Indian families have been long enough established and have developed sufficient skills together with a strong sense of community to indicate optimism for their future. The organization and program of the church have been sufficiently fluid to bring into active participation settlers and workers of varying backgrounds. The next step to be undertaken is an intensified program of lay leadership development.

The extended delay in reactivating industry in the Cottonwood Valley handicapped the Yavapai-Apache work. Several families relocated in Texas. There is now assurance that the hoped-for cement plant will begin operations in 1958. This will bring back to the Valley men who have been separated from their families by the necessity of seeking employment elsewhere. This has been one of the factors contributing to serious problems for the young people. Many have been under court supervision with the missionaries assisting in their rehabilitation. Fine volunteer leaders have moved to Camp Verde. Their active service and example have helped to double church attendance and to bring white and Indian families together for worship and study. The small building is crowded and three automobiles are used for Sunday school classrooms.

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Hopi churches was celebrated in June. At Second Mesa an active Christian center program continued at Shipolauvi, but it was impossible to rent suitable space in Shimopovy. Attendance increased at the mission in spite of efforts by the Traditionalists to hold the people back. Property improvements were made with the members assuming part of the cost.

The combined women's society was divided into an organization for each Mesa. This encouraged participation by more women, including women from the villages on top. Both groups raised money to send delegates to the state house party, completed White Cross quotas, and prepared special programs which were shared with both churches.

At Polacca there is a new recognition of the responsibility which is required of lay people if a church is to grow. Church boards are to be reorganized and a program initiated for fuller participation by the total membership in planning the work. Giving increased, buildings were repaired and painted, and modern equipment was placed in the community house kitchen.

Two nursery schools were organized, one at the mission, another on top, and provided a channel for more contacts with parents. The needs of older youth present the most significant challenge for the year ahead. The old ways no longer have anything to offer youth.

The controversy over Reservation boundaries was not settled between the Hopis and Navajos. The struggle between the traditionalist and progressive tribal divisions continued. The entrance of several dogmatic sect groups created confusion. Yet our Baptist work through its constant program of service continued to gain the good will of all of the Hopis. Missionaries were given opportunity to share in community meetings. Christians were elected to the tribal council with apparent recognition that they can share in tribal affairs without being identified with the old religion.

New missionaries arrived at Keams Canyon in June. Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Jackson have received a wide response to their ministry. Volunteer workers for both church school and week-day classes made possible smaller, more closely graded classes, improved discipline, happier participation by the children. Teachers used Judson materials with enthusiasm and creativity. Weekly classes were held for children of the boarding schools at Keams Canyon and White Cone. Biweekly Bible classes were held in two homes near White Cone. Outstation work was carried on at Jeddito, Skunk Springs, Bigham Dam, upper Low Mountain, and Shonto Springs. The woman's organization at Keams Canyon was reorganized, began using the N.C.A.B.W. program packet, and contributed to the love gift, the state woman's scholarship fund, and local needs in mission equipment and program. The weekly sewing classes for Navajo women included Bible lessons, films, discussions on sanitation and child care, and various kinds of handiwork. More helpers are needed since many of the forty women who attend do not speak much English.

The men of the village donated labor on building repairs. Sidewalks were constructed, movable partitions installed in the church basement for class rooms, water piped to the Interpreter's house, floors refinished, and several buildings painted. Permission was granted for the mission buildings to be attached to the town water and disposal systems with the mission spring to be used for supplementary supply.

Outstation work is hampered by the presence of sect missionaries. The short tenure of government employees means constant reenlistment and training of volunteer workers. The continuing expansion of both the Keams and White Cone schools means more children to be taught. Our missionaries received requests for Bible classes in more outstations. It is evident that one missionary family cannot meet all of the opportunities.

California

The bill for termination of the five rancheria areas of the Mono people was indefinitely postponed. This limited planning for a new location of the Auberry church and led pastor and people to work more intensively at the old location. The old mission building at Porterville was dismantled. Pews, windows, and other materials were transferred to Auberry, the west wall of the church rebuilt, and the windows inserted.

A series of exchange meetings with White and Chinese young people from California cities strengthened the youth work through the fellowship afforded and the efforts of the Auberry youth to raise the money to pay for their own transportation and to prepare programs through which they could

witness to the groups visited. Two summer internes gave valuable assistance in the vacation school program at Auberry and went on to the lumbering area at Dinkey Creek to conduct summer services for both Indian and white workers and for a Scout camp in the area.

Services continued at Coarsegold under the leadership of volunteer workers, at Dunlap with the help of a part-time worker. Effort was made to encourage the people at Sycamore to attend services at Auberry.

At Clovis the work was both hindered and helped by an injury sustained by Miss Johnston. While the missionary had to limit her own activities, volunteers rallied to help with clubs, classes, and worship services. Vacation school and midweek prayer services were conducted jointly with the First Baptist Church of Clovis. Eventually the church should assume more responsibility for the ministry which is now conducted through the center. Miss Johnston and Miss Tucker purchased a residence in town, and the mission house was adapted for clubs and classes.

Nevada

Staff changes at Stewart brought changes in program. Both women workers left for other positions and Rev. and Mrs. John Ward were the only missionaries left on this field. Noticeable gains were made in work with the teenage students, a World Wide Guild organized, a boys' Hi-Y group formed. One hundred thirty-five high school students participated in a work day during which the church was cleaned in preparation for the entertainment of the Western Regional Fellowship of Indian Workers. A student-church choir was formed with the groups singing for both school and church activities. The pastor had opportunities to share in school classes and was often consulted about individual problems. Two Junior Deacons and two Junior Deaconesses were added to the church board. A public address system and a Thomas electric organ were installed. The transfer of active adults limited the people available for church school teaching and there was a decrease in general Sunday school attendance.

It was impossible to maintain regular services at Dresslerville. Calling was done. The church building was made available for juvenile workers to counsel with families on delinquency problems and the pastor helped in this as much as possible. Plans were confirmed for placing a full-time worker at Dresslerville for 1958 with the hope that an effective Christian center program can be developed.

Both church and center at Reno continued to prosper. In June Miss Majorie Moreau replaced Miss June Taylor as girls' worker. The nursery program was set up to be virtually self-supporting. Miss Moreau concentrated on the development of much needed clubs for children and teenage girls.

Church services were well attended, giving increased, and members participated in local programs as well as state meetings. A B.Y.F. program was started and the people requested an adult Bible class for 1958.

In an area which formerly had a very high juvenile delinquency rate, no vandalism has occurred in the Colony for many months. There are no known cases of vandalism in the city attributable to Indian youth. There

was only one probation case involving a child under sixteen in the Colony in eighteen months.

New York

The work at Cattaraugus continued in the pattern of separate Baptist and Presbyterian churches served by the same pastor with both denominations sharing in his support. Mr. Owl is serving a three-year term as president of the National Fellowship of Indian Workers.

The disability of Miss Ethel Knapp required her retirement from active service. She continues to live at the Tonawanda parsonage and is given assistance in home care by volunteer workers from the church. Mr. H. Victor Kane, Jr., has been serving as supply pastor since June. With no active missionary resident on the field, it was difficult to undertake the lay development program which is needed. The ties to reservation life divert interest from the church.

Tonawanda is a small reservation with three churches—Baptist, Presbyterian, and Methodist—with none strong enough to keep a full-time pastor. Even with mission aid there are not enough people to have an effective program in three churches. There is some interest in combining the three. This was encouraged by the forming of a community church choir under Mr. Kane's leadership. The three churches together could challenge a full-time pastor and develop the essential youth activities and lay development program.

Montana

The controversy over the sale of land for the Yellowtail Dam appeared to be settled with an acceptable price negotiated. This brought some measure of easement in the antagonism between River and Mountain Crows. However, it is now uncertain whether the money will be available in 1958 appropriations. The legalizing of the use of peyote for so-called worship in the state of Montana has created other problems of dissension with uncertainty as to the loyalty of church members.

There have been no resident missionaries at Pryor since June. Mr. Chester Bentley and Mr. Herschell Daney served as supply. Indian and white volunteers in Pryor worked together to keep the church school active. This brought a new sense of cooperation into the community and a combined request for a new resident pastor. If there is concrete evidence of these purposes in the first part of 1958, it is planned to place a new pastor at Pryor.

At Lodge Grass the first floor of the parsonage was remodeled, with new kitchen equipment, and a dining room and second bathroom added. A new garage was built and the parsonage insulated. A new program for youth brought a number of young people into active participation in the church program for the first time. Adults accepted more leadership responsibility. It is hoped that they will organize into church boards and committees as a replacement for the now outdated council structure. This church is being challenged to assume a part of the support of its pastor.

The dual churches, white and Indian, at Crow Agency continued Sunday worship services and church school together, with separate prayer and business meetings. Both groups required a heavy program of pastoral ministry. Both increased their participation in the support of their pastor and will enter into a contract for the direct payment of their part in 1958.

Oklahoma

Tribal loyalties, peyote worship in some areas, reluctance of lay people to assume responsibility and economic limitations are discouraging factors in the work in Oklahoma. At some points there were significant gains in the work. Evangelistic services at Swappingback brought about improved attitude and response among the members. There were five first decisions. At Geary, where the parsonage occupied by Mr. and Mrs. McElhaney is located, the young people continued to attend weekday meetings enthusiastically. A few whites and Negroes are among the forty-six who crowd the parsonage. When special gifts are obtained, an activities building will be erected on the parsonage grounds and the total program in Geary expanded.

A lay assistant pastor was in residence at Saddle Mountain for most of the year. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Saumpty gave leadership to Sunday services and prayer meetings in homes, and encouraged the people to assume more responsibility.

At Rainy Mountain the people celebrated the completion of payments on the loan on their church building, put a new roof on their community building, launched a program of lay development and added eight members by baptism.

Among the Comanches at Walters and Deyo, the Men's Brotherhoods carried increased responsibility for both program and care of buildings. A junior girls' fellowship at Walters promises to be a good nucleus for a B.Y.F. Both churches made the special missionary offerings a part of their program and an effort was made to put local expense contributions on a weekly basis. An urgent need is for adult volunteer leadership for youth.

The four rural churches supervised by Rev. Lester Raney and served by lay assistant pastors were plagued by the proselyting of a variety of groups endeavoring to start new churches among the very limited number of Indian people still resident in the area. Effort was made to supply American Baptist literature for use in homes.

At the Apache Church support and attendance was undergirded by only three families, but a two-year indebtedness was cleared and repairs made to the church building. Several families moved away in search of employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses, lay workers at the Wichita church, were employed at the Government hospital in Fort Sill. This limited the time they could give to the work of the church some miles away, but they used a part of each evening in calling upon hospital patients. The effectiveness of their ministry through this activity was commended by doctors and nurses on the hospital staff.

Attendance decreased at Elk Creek because of the inroads of other groups. The people still hope to find a way to have more adequate facilities for church school and children's activities.

At Red Stone a church constitution was adopted for the first time in the history of the church. This brought renewed interest and a more cooperative spirit.

The staff of the Anadarko Christian Center concentrated on providing a weekday club program for each age group of boys and girls and on developing a Sunday morning church school and evening B.Y.F. There was an encouraging response in all of these activities and a larger number of center-related young people attended the Association youth camp. The present center registration is 60 percent Indian, 30 percent white, and 10 percent Negro. The city of Anadarko endeavored to establish a United Fund Drive and the center was asked to combine its financial drive with this effort. Not enough time was allowed for preparation for the United drive and receipts fell way below goals. The center was then given permission to supplement with a separate campaign of its own. While goals were not reached in either drive, sufficient money was raised to avoid indebtedness.

In-service training was provided for three of the Oklahoma lay assistants and their wives through attendance at the Green Lake Rural School. Two B.M.T.S. students, serving as summer internes, gave assistance to association camping programs and to the church vacation school of each church. As general missionary for Oklahoma, Mr. Furman located at Chickasha and began a program of lay development and general counsel for all of the Indian churches. This was interrupted by our asking him to serve as interim pastor in Cordova, Alaska, from September through December.

Wisconsin

The ministry to the Winnebagos at Wisconsin Dells, begun by the state convention, came into joint sponsorship by the state convention and Home Mission Societies this year. This ministry is conducted at the church in the country in the winter months and at the encampment for Indians near the Dells during the "tourist season." This means a ministry to many more than those regularly enrolled in the church activities. Here, too, traditional tribal customs claim attention and peyote worship is another factor requiring that there be constant re-enlistment for church participation.

Summary

Unrest and confusion continues in many Indian communities but there appears to be emerging more clarity of purpose for tribal governing groups, a readiness to develop practical economic programs, and a growing sensitivity about Indian concerns among white neighbors. A Federal program of adult education was launched, looking toward either relocation or the development of skills for work in industries which may come to reservation areas.

A high death rate prevails among Indians primarily because of inadequate hygiene. More Indian children are in schools of all grades than ever before. An increasing number of college scholarships are provided by tribal funds as well as non-Indian organizations.

The possibility of termination induced many groups to establish tribal rolls which will identify those qualified to benefit by a share of income from property sales or to receive land allotments. This led to the legalizing of common-law marriages, often through religious services.

All of these social factors indicate needed areas of ministry by the Christian church. In many instances the church needs to supplement the services provided by secular agencies. Often the missionary can help to influence people to accept new ways or to stay with a study course until its maximum benefits can be derived. Growth in Christian experience is often reflected in higher incentive, greater initiative, and more accomplishment.

SCHOOLS

Bacone College is in its first year of operation with only a junior college curriculum. In spite of the loss of high school students and the discontinuance of varsity football, student enrollment was equal to that of the previous year when both of these factors attracted students.

The locating of new industries nearby led the college to offer night school classes for those desiring science and business courses essential to employment. Bacone opened its doors to all young people in the area. A number of white students are enrolled and one Negro student attended the fall semester.

The music department was strengthened by the coming of a new director. The faculty and Advisory Board began an intensive program of evaluation of the program and life of the school looking toward application for accreditation by the North Central Association.

Gifts of anonymous donors made possible the construction of two additional faculty residences. The campus roads were hard-topped, a new garage built for the college vehicles, an endowment fund was donated for the maintenance of the chapel building. The former Murrow buildings were renovated for use as college dormitories.

The Murrow Indian Children's Home, located adjacent to the Bacone campus, completed a full year of operation in the new cottages. Three couples and one relief housemother, with the children, developed a sense of family in each cottage. This was reflected in better health, higher school grades, and a growing recognition of the potential in each child by community as well as staff.

The Bacone College Baptist Church ministered to faculty, students, and Murrow families through preaching services, church school, and a variety of week-day activities. Faculty and staff members served as church officers. The women's society acted as host to the house party for the women of the Western Oklahoma Baptist Indian Association. Members of the Murrow family attended the association youth camp.

This was a difficult year for the Baptist Missionary Training School because of the death of its president. A smaller enrollment for the 1957-58 school year placed an added financial burden on the school. A study of all American Baptist educational institutions in Illinois focused the attention

of the constituency and the school on the future program which B.M.T.S. should offer. Further study is projected with the affirmation that the school desires to be of maximum service to the denomination and seeks guidance on how this can best be effected.

The Mather School had its largest junior college enrollment in this fifth year of the conduct of that phase of the school's program. A stronger faculty made possible a better program for both college and high school. To maintain its high school accreditation and qualify for junior college accreditation, more income for Mather must be found. More gifts through the Institutional Budget and from the local area are being sought.

Summary

Many Indian young people continue to need the first bridge between cultures which Bacone offers. The example of interracial living which the faculty of Mather offers is an important witness, even though it seems as yet impossible to have an interracial student body. Mather provides schooling for some young women whose economic circumstance precludes their being educated elsewhere. It is the chosen school for others because of the combination of Christian training and sound academic program. At B.M.T.S. the missionary emphasis, denominational identity, practical field work experience, and combination of technical skills and liberal arts training continues to provide the special training which is needed by women missionaries in both home and foreign service.

DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Secretary of the Department: Dorothy O. Bucklin.

Field Representative for Indian Work: ***Richard M. Furman.

ALASKA

Crowell, Mildred, Ouzinkie
Graziano, Rose, Kodiak
Greene, Vivienne, Kodiak
Hylton, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell, Kodiak
Marlin, Estelle, Kodiak
*May, Rev. and Mrs. Howard, Cordova
Molletti, Rev. and Mrs. John A., Kodiak (on furlough part time)
*Moreau, Marjorie, Ouzinkie
Petseys, Elsie, Cordova
Rold, Pearle, Kodiak
Setzekorn, Mary, Ouzinkie
Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Norman L., Larsen Bay (on furlough part time)
Stone, Mr. and Mrs. William W., Kodiak
*Turner, Muriel O., Kodiak

INDIAN WORK

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Denny, Rev. and Mrs. James, Polacca

Hubbel, Rev. and Mrs. M. Francis, Second Mesa
Jackson, Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence R., Keams Canyon
Jackson, Rev. and Mrs. Perry L., Cottonwood
Loveridge, Rev. and Mrs. Arthur F., Poston
Olsen, Mable, Poston
Stickler, Lolita, Poston
*Webber, Rev. and Mrs. William, Keams Canyon

CALIFORNIA

Brooks, Rev. and Mrs. Vernon K., Auberry
Johnston, Muriel, Clovis
Tucker, Cecile, Clovis

MONTANA

Bentley, Rev. and Mrs. Chester A., Crow Agency
Daney, Rev. and Mrs. Herschell, Lodge Grass
*Gates, Rev. and Mrs. Clifford, Pryor

NEVADA

*Johnson, Malvina, Stewart
 Mathews, Rev. and Mrs. H. Clyde, Reno
 Moreau, Marjorie, Reno
 *Scott, Mrs. Florence, Stewart
 *Taylor, June, Reno
 Ward, Rev. and Mrs. John D., Stewart

NEW YORK

**Knapp, Rev. Ethel, Basom
 Owl, Rev. and Mrs. David, Iroquois

OKLAHOMA

Doerr, Barbara, Anadarko
 Furman, Rev. Richard M., Chickasha—General
 Missionary
 Grummon, Rev. and Mrs. Dan, Walters
 McElhaney, Mr. and Mrs. Louis, Geary
 Osborn, Rev. and Mrs. Charles R., Anadarko
 Rane, Rev. and Mrs. J. Lester, Anadarko
 Shongo, Rev. and Mrs. Barry, Mountain View

WISCONSIN

Sheaffer, Rev. and Mrs. John, Wisconsin Dells

*Resigned

**Retired

***Transferred

****Deceased

SCHOOLS**MATHER SCHOOL**

Beaufort, South Carolina

Anderson, Eleanor, President
 Childs, Josie
 *Goodgame, Fannie
 Hughes, Lucy
 ****Hunter, Ruth
 Weinacht, Esther
 Williams, Aleese

BACONE COLLEGE

Bacone, Oklahoma

*Brewer, David
 Connor, Rev. William F.
 Getz, Roger W., President
 Harman, Leo D.
 Romick, Wilbur — Murrow Indian Children's
 Home

BAPTIST MISSIONARY**TRAINING SCHOOL**

Chicago, Illinois

****Keucher, Dr. Werner

STATISTICAL REPORTS

ALASKA

	No. Missionaries	No. Served	Church Membership	Average Church Attendance	Baptisms	Received by Letter	S. S. Membership	Average S. S. Attendance	V. C. S. Attendance	No. Week-day Groups	Average Attendance per Month	Camp Attendance	Received from Home Mission Societies	Operating Budget	Denominational Giving
Cordova															
Cordova Christian Center	1	127 (Average Mo. Contacts)	85	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	55	.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ .....	.....
Cordova Community Baptist Church	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	73	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	660.00	.....	615.97
Cordova Community Hospital	1	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,000.00	.....	.....
Kodiak															
Kodiak Baptist Mission	8	70	20*	.....	.....	.....	46*	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	13,050.00	28,000.00	.....
Kodiak Community Baptist Church	2	.....	217	225	11	28	360	250	188	.....	.....	.....	4,020.00	.....	2,898.07
Larsen Bay															
Boat Ministry—Evangel	2	2,400 Contacts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,350.00	2,400.00	.....
Larsen Bay Chapel	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	35	30	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.01
Ouzinkie															
Children's Home—Baker Cottage	3	12	5*	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	4,970.00	6,100.00	.....
Christian Center	.....	474 (Average Mo. Contacts)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	18	3,718	252	280	11	29	480	319	208	11	55	36	\$36,050.00	\$36,500.00	\$ 3,548.05

*Included in totals for Kodiak Church.

BILINGUAL CHURCHES

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	BUDGET															
		Church Membership	Received by Baptism	Received by Letter	Received Otherwise	Aver. Church Attendance	Sun. School Enrollment	Aver. Sun. Sch. Attend.	Vac. Church Sch. Attend.	ABHMS	State Conv. or City Soc.	Current Expenses	Denom. Missions				
No. Calif.	San Mateo—Chinese Baptist Community	56	2	1	CHINESE												
					50	96	75	45	\$	180.00	\$	630.00	\$	8,790.00	\$	258.00
Ohio	Painesville—Bethel Baptist	26	.....	.....	FINNISH											
					.....	28	30	27	.....	195.00	435.00	2,637.00	132.00			
New York	Rochester—St. Mark's Baptist	105	.....	.....	ITALIAN											
					.....	65	70	65	.....	250.00	650.00	6,092.00	30.55			
Missouri	Kansas City—Northeast Baptist Mission	29	.....	.....	JAPANESE											
					4	17	.....	.....	600.00	3,300.00	185.00	.....				
Illinois	Chicago—Church of Our Saviour	51	.....	.....	POLISH											
					2	80	76	70	.....	320.00	400.00	8,505.00	220.00			
Pennsylvania	Philadelphia—First Polish Baptist	.....	.....	.....	.....								
					.....	.....	.....	.....	300.00	525.00	.....	.....			
Massachusetts	Taunton—First Portuguese	92	3	3	PORTUGUESE												
					.....	78	40	36	.....	260.00	1,440.00	3,405.00	45.00			
Michigan	Saginaw—Russian, Ukrainian	39	.....	2	RUSSIAN UKRAINIAN											
					2	40	39	35	28	350.00	650.00	1,294.00	175.00				
New York	New York—First Russian Baptist	106	7	3	1	75	25	18	32	400.00	1,425.00	6,458.00	1,300.00				
Totals		504	12	9	9	433	375	326	105	\$	2,855.00	\$	9,455.00	\$	37,366.00	\$	2,160.55

CHRISTIAN CENTERS

STATE CITY — CHRISTIAN CENTER	AVERAGE										RECEIVED FROM					Total Budget
	No. on Staff (full time)	No. on Staff (part time)	Volunteers	Membership	Monthly Attendance	No. of Groups	Church Attendance	Sunday School Attendance	Vacation Ch. Sch. Attend.	Baptisms	Home Mission Societies	State or City	Community Fund	Churches	Other Sources	
Ariz. Phoenix—Valley C. C.	5	1	10	489	3,515	27	16	568	121	18	\$12,700.00	\$2,500.00	\$7,200.00	\$4,588.42	\$2,017.32	\$29,005.74
No. Cal. Broderick—Broderick C. C.	2	2	28	103	1,932	21	175	265	61	.....	975.00	975.00	.....	.....	.....	1,950.00
Fresno—Chinese Baptist	1	1	18	.....	1,379	11	346	267	91	.....	1,480.00	600.00	199.00	6,406.32	9,970.12	18,655.44
Locke—Locke Chinese C. C.	2	.....	5	47	511	6	39	102	27	.....	880.00	97.50	969.27	236.40	1,054.71	3,237.88
Sacramento—Lincoln C. C.	3	2	32	174	4,043	17	324	813	100	9	4,582.06	3,800.00	7,767.24	904.66	2,718.22	19,772.18
Denver—Denver C. C.	4	1	4	594	3,327	17	100	83	105	.....	5,140.00	1,440.00	.....	1,085.14	2,766.09	10,431.23
Chicago—Englewood C. C.	2	2	1	346	1,422	8	126	118	.....	.....	2,000.00	3,600.00	8,646.00	3,345.52	9,110.05	26,701.57
So. Chi. Neighb. House	6	2	3	497	1,623	28	24	36	111	.....	4,140.00	1,300.00	1,752.00	1,620.61	1,585.70	10,398.31
Peoria—Friendship House	2	.....	9	37	630	5	33	17	.....	.....	1,643.34	4,280.00	.....	.....	.....	5,923.34
Hammond—Brooks House	5	5	24	513	6,429	37	291	184	.....	.....	7,680.00	3,079.62	24,978.83	273.33	11,961.04	47,972.82
Indianapolis—East Side C. C.	2	1	1	3,287	3,306	21	21	.....	17	24	1,400.00	1,430.00	90.00	7,338.13	9,818.43	20,076.56
Kansas City—Bethel Neighb. C. C.	2	1	4	123	2,978	14	403	307	54	7	4,660.00	2,940.00	8,217.00	3,028.68	9,540.84	28,386.52
Boston—Baptist Bethel C. C.	3	1	15	1,307	4,428	18	485	178	45	.....	5,750.00	2,140.60	.....	1,921.63	8,762.56	18,574.79
Heath C. C.	1	1	5	248	2,080	16	.....	.....	.....	2	6,550.00	2,197.02	.....	227.86	5,348.21	14,323.09
Detroit—Glebas Memorial C. C.	6	1	23	157	4,843	22	.....	.....	.....	3	1,525.00	2,639.65	21,411.46	381.35	4,994.79	30,952.25
Hamtramck—Friendship House	1	2	19	262	2,499	20	204	213	131	.....	3,182.50	1,390.00	.....	1,405.55	1,865.48	7,843.53
Minneapolis—Wm. Axling C. C.	2	1	11	252	1,010	15	32	.....	112	.....	2,355.00	1,145.00	.....	431.25	507.29	4,488.54
St. Paul—Grace Chapel C. C.	1	.....	2	56	311	5	76	69	16	.....	2,525.00	778.19	.....	120.06	830.36	4,253.61
**Park C. C.	4	3	17	684	1,402	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	900.00	141.62	.....	.....	6,744.96	7,786.65
Camden—Camden C. C.	2	1	7	467	2,274	16	338	199	137	11	2,490.00	1,050.00	.....	3,204.44	449.40	7,193.84
Newark—Newark C. C.	1	2	8	337	1,767	14	29	25	162	6	2,150.00	5,793.00	.....	1,318.01	.....	9,261.01

*Combined report: Wacouta—Grace Chapel.

**For seven months only—discontinued.

CHRISTIAN CENTERS—Continued

STATE CITY — CHRISTIAN CENTER	AVERAGE				RECEIVED FROM								Total Budget				
	No. on Staff (full time)	No. on Staff (part time)	Volunteers	Membership	Monthly Attendance	No. of Groups	Church Attendance	Sunday School Attendance	Vacation Ch. Sch. Attend.	Baptisms	Home Mission Societies	State or City		Churches	Other Sources	Community Fund	
N. Y. Brooklyn—Emmanuel C. C.	2	1	4	213	992	10	25	93	152	4	2,300.00	1,200.00	.....	.....	.....	1,501.17	5,001.17
Buffalo—Emmanuel C. C.	2	2	20	237	1,787	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,760.00	3,330.00	.....	.....	.....	241.63	7,331.63
Hickory Street C. C.	1	1	10	355	1,125	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,050.00	4,672.00	.....	.....	.....	23.00	6,745.00
N. Y. C.—Judson C.	.....	1	6	36	664	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,200.00	3,800.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000.00
The Mariners' Temple	3	2	48	239	3,211	15	465	406	187	.....	3,450.00	6,350.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,800.00
Rochester—Parrells Ave. C. C.	1	2	1	42	145	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	223.57	42.10	1,265.67	
***Mount Olivet C. C.	1	4	.....	30	643	2	.....	55	.....	.....	360.00	.....	.....	570.75	26.25	967.00	
Campbell—Campbell C. C.	5	1	29	636	5,463	53	465	500	287	26	8,540.00	4,640.00	.....	7,075.23	3,541.99	23,797.22	
Cleveland—The Chr. Comm. Center	2	.....	1	387	2,022	17	17	3	.....	.....	1,416.00	1,584.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000.00
Dayton—Dayton C. C.	4	1	6	108	1,124	19	120	158	94	.....	2,406.25	6,444.40	12,011.26	1,693.13	1,038.57	23,593.61	3,000.00
Penn. Philadelphia—St. Johns' C. C.	1	1	1	171	2,473	7	1,103	462	4	.....	2,430.00	249.96	.....	.....	.....	1,688.00	4,367.96
Rankin—Rankin C. C.	6	7	34	627	5,765	54	108	74	158	2	4,060.00	3,405.00	39,046.98	2,098.45	6,810.74	54,421.17	54,421.17
W. Va. Weirton—Weirton C. C.	6	2	20	508	4,872	36	568	468	.....	17	5,260.00	1,800.00	21,000.00	419.42	4,134.28	32,613.70	32,613.70
Wisc. Kenosha—Kenosha C. C.	1	1	3	91	1,275	7	335	302	80	8	2,020.00	2,696.70	.....	131.25	137.43	4,985.38	4,985.38
Milwaukee—Milwaukee C. C.	10	3	14	747	4,158	34	473	294	.....	3	4,184.00	1,109.31	32,145.00	190.84	5,835.09	43,464.24	43,464.24
Totals	102	59	454	14,407	87,428	668	6,741	6,259	2,252	140	\$119,144.15	\$ 84,598.64	\$185,434.04	\$ 50,240.00	\$114,065.82	\$553,482.65	\$553,482.65

***New Center.

DEPARTMENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	ANNUAL BUDGET													
		Church Membership	Received by Baptism	Received by Letter	Otherwise	Total Mem- bers Received	Aver. Church Attendance	Sun. School Enrollment	Aver. Sun. Sch. Attend.	Vac. Church Sch. Enroll.	Aver. Vac. Sch. Attend.	ABHMS	State Conv. or City Soc.	Current Expenses	Denom. Missions
Arizona	Morenci—First	112	3	4	.....	7	60	162	79	123	104	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 8,533.58	\$ 513.46
	Phoenix—Maryvale	183	12	23	.....	35	100	290	190	130	120	1,000.00	200.00	8,861.00	1,201.00
	Westwood	252	12	32	.....	44	140	274	185	150	135	150.00	150.00	8,890.00	1,165.22
	Tucson—Catalina	157	3	9	2	14	85	128	80	53	50	540.00	347.00	10,570.20	926.46
	University	130	16	17	5	38	90	70	50	.....	.....	240.00	100.00	14,060.00	400.00
	Brisbane—First	108	12	4	.....	16	70	147	91	102	90	240.00	240.00	8,490.00	120.00
	Corte Madera—First	59	2	10	.....	12	42	82	47	27	21	300.00	1,250.00	8,572.03	374.41
	Fremont—First American	34	.....	12	.....	12	45	75	45	.....	.....	900.00	2,700.00	1,800.00	120.00
	Fresno—East Princeton Ave.	98	12	16	.....	28	80	150	110	.....	.....	600.00	600.00	9,581.50	246.12
	Hayward—Baywood	131	5	12	3	20	46	95	73	95	81	240.00	650.00	2,750.00	119.06
Northern California	First American	182	14	19	.....	33	130	207	143	108	83	300.00	1,266.66	11,968.49	1,062.37
	Linda Mar—First	149	18	27	18	73	80	177	115	154	123	720.00	1,380.00	10,392.39	384.29
	Los Altos—Twin Oaks	38	.....	38	.....	38	40	40	30	.....	.....	700.00	1,800.00	.....	.....
	Marysville—First	163	2	4	2	8	.....	99	62	.....	.....	300.00	600.00	6,055.09	137.77
	Milpitas—First	44	4	20	.....	24	30	100	60	75	50	600.00	1,800.00	2,601.91	172.37
	Modesto—Fairmount Ave.	82	4	6	.....	10	47	126	71	98	66	240.00	240.00	6,341.84	567.00
	Novato—Bethel	26	.....	26	.....	26	25	44	26	61	51	600.00	2,949.20	387.28	22.24
	Oakdale—First	169	15	12	9	36	71	151	104	73	63	200.00	200.00	8,318.28	940.85
	Rio Linda—First	85	4	3	3	10	50	124	57	32	27	240.00	80.00	6,079.90	511.64
	Sacramento—First of Foothill Farms	38	.....	18	20	38	30	112	60	.....	.....	700.00	450.00	3,029.96	229.58
Southern California	San Francisco—Portola	123	18	9	5	32	67	123	79	78	58	180.00	180.00	7,851.13	770.00
	San Jose—Church of Foothills	174	43	15	5	63	131	255	114	78	60	720.00	1,260.00	15,602.89	292.57
	San Mateo—Shoreview	137	19	17	11	47	92	225	156	.....	.....	900.00	900.00	7,593.91	514.57
	San Pablo—Parchester	176	38	6	.....	44	108	134	98	147	115	75.00	300.00	3,272.00	100.00
	Sharp Park—North Coastside	122	24	20	.....	44	90	253	147	108	83	300.00	1,266.66	11,968.49	1,062.37
	Joshua Tree—First	65	13	21	4	38	46	62	36	.....	.....	450.00	750.00	500.00	240.00
	Morongo Valley—First	28	6	2	3	11	33	39	21	19	16	450.00	750.00	3,010.00	240.00
	Denver—Chaffee	215	21	33	.....	54	145	280	161	120	79	436.00	100.00	8,049.13	826.06
	Hampden Hills	187	21	36	2	59	109	141	96	100	79	520.00	940.00	6,195.81	661.00

DEPARTMENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION—Continued

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Connecticut	Harvey Park	177	39	46	5	90	125	290	170	188	153	1,080.00	1,080.00	7,100.00	627.88
	West Alameda	171	11	5	5	21	90	200	125	60	50	250.00	250.00	10,339.32	462.3
	Fort Collins—American	223	3	14	3	20	153	220	139	.....	.....	540.00	540.00	19,990.00	2,640.00
	Wheatridge—Evangel	108	9	12	.....	21	79	147	108	56	46	300.00	960.00	11,603.97	1,235.65
Delaware	Manchester—Manchester Community	327	9	41	.....	50	155	230	150	50	46	400.00	400.00	15,656.97	1,330.00
	Wilmington—Trinity	41	10	25	6	41	71	100	59	.....	.....	1,200.00	175.00	3,618.95	.....
	Honolulu—First	505	48	137	17	202	200	200	120	450	286	660.00	660.00	14,843.14	1,687.00
	Pearl Harbor—First	68	12	51	5	68	120	425	220	.....	.....	600.00	.....	1,409.57	162.91
Idaho	Oahu—First—Windward	68	10	61	1	72	79	105	81	150	125	1,450.00	1,200.00	10,313.00	392.00
	Boise—Second	165	7	40	1	48	110	180	128	.....	.....	1,000.00	1,700.00	8,377.00	575.67
	Caldwell—Memorial Park	182	5	6	.....	11	105	176	98	58	55	300.00	300.00	9,433.35	600.00
	Chicago—Southwest	71	10	3	.....	13	100	175	100	97	85	500.00	500.00	5,818.24	285.11
Illinois	Des Plaines—Immanuel	77	2	8	5	15	81	151	124	65	48	900.00	485.00	11,225.49	609.73
	Godfrey—Godfrey	29	5	24	.....	29	31	63	46	53	47	800.00	900.00	5,051.26	164.75
	Joliet—Judson	110	15	12	13	40	92	120	78	65	58	1,334.00	1,334.00	12,460.42	980.58
	Quincy—Grandview	89	2	7	2	11	69	156	82	54	45	960.00	900.00	5,369.50	669.36
Indiana	Wheaton—Geneva Road	87	9	28	49	86	90	95	80	.....	.....	500.00	.....	3,500.00	1,288.00
	Indianapolis—Arlington Heights	82	8	25	4	37	116	123	97	143	119	960.00	1,440.00	8,409.41	1,217.43
	Burlington—Sunnyside Ave.	86	11	6	2	19	50	90	70	79	60	500.00	591.62	5,044.60	553.06
	Des Moines—Westover	213	26	46	.....	72	174	280	154	110	92	567.96	567.96	11,140.17	3,653.23
Kansas	Spring Hill—Spring Hill	76	2	9	2	13	50	74	60	77	67	200.00	300.00	5,595.51	508.30
	Topeka—Terra Heights	25	2	14	.....	16	35	82	71	81	73	200.00	427.50	2,242.49	66.43
	Bedford—First	72	10	8	1	19	59	85	65	39	35	900.00	1,800.00	7,736.69	411.59
	Dedham—Church of The Master	29	1	2	1	4	20	13	10	.....	.....	1,200.00	2,800.00	1,000.00	100.00
Michigan	Lynnfield Center—Trinity	53	5	45	3	53	60	52	32	.....	.....	267.00	267.00	4,304.20	213.00
	Ann Arbor—Northside	87	20	46	21	87	69	91	66	35	28	1,170.00	1,170.00	7,362.45	433.75
	Dearborn—Warren Valley	141	12	24	4	40	110	145	117	50	41	810.00	2,430.00	7,400.00	1,433.00
	Detroit—Rouge Park	82	10	10	.....	20	60	146	78	140	85	1,150.00	1,450.00	6,426.30	1,176.48
	Farmington—North Farmington	68	6	15	1	22	69	68	63	121	93	1,080.00	3,240.00	5,810.75	759.16

DEPARTMENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION—Continued

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Ohio	Barberton—Covenant	75	20	46	9	75	75	86	79	250	217	700.00	700.00	4,512.00	395.00
	Columbus—Lincoln	88	8	23	.....	31	121	117	95	100	78	800.00	800.00	8,431.49	408.00
	Mountview	109	3	37	.....	40	100	51	60	.....	.....	800.00	800.00	11,563.32	240.00
	Grove City—Grove City	65	14	8	14	36	74	170	106	94	78	933.32	1,800.00	8,667.82	250.00
	Mansfield—Diamond Hills	80	13	9	.....	22	77	165	87	93	78	483.33	483.33	5,293.71	771.11
	Painesville—Headlands	59	5	11	.....	16	60	110	60	.....	.....	500.00	200.00	4,844.17	225.00
	Lakeside	56	12	2	.....	14	50	125	80	87	65	150.00	300.00	3,903.08	60.00
	Parma Heights—American	34	.....	29	5	34	63	45	41	.....	.....	1,500.00	3,000.00	1,946.42	352.22
	Toledo—Judson	119	8	25	5	38	75	120	70	.....	.....	800.00	600.00	9,876.41	724.42
	West Carrollton—West Carrollton	172	62	20	.....	82	130	220	170	180	143	400.00	500.00	11,577.43	204.00
Oregon	Wickliffe—Covenant	205	9	41	6	56	125	142	90	76	68	1,440.00	1,600.00	6,820.00	2,353.00
	Youngtown—Fairview	159	6	21	.....	27	151	220	111	73	65	580.00	580.00	17,477.00	840.00
	Eastside—Eastside	18	1	1	.....	2	30	74	80	.....	.....	750.00	1,265.00	1,689.86	252.02
	Eugene—Emerald	273	13	47	4	64	129	235	193	.....	.....	400.00	400.00	20,749.94	4,338.01
	Medford—Eastwood	125	6	15	2	23	91	160	96	89	79	600.00	1,500.00	6,609.00	933.93
	Portland—Fellowship	89	2	11	3	16	59	144	74	58	42	600.00	1,200.00	5,425.00	603.00
	Glenhaven	66	10	11	.....	21	58	215	128	65	56	500.00	1,200.00	6,528.98	632.77
	Pleasant Valley	107	6	16	9	31	65	135	95	70	56	600.00	700.00	5,410.11	461.66
	Woodland Park	139	11	6	4	21	86	150	93	80	65	900.00	1,500.00	5,839.00	906.40
	Exton—Exton	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	43	74	38	.....	.....	700.00	1,200.00	1,574.19	185.09
Pennsylvania	Glenolden—Glencroft	118	9	50	.....	59	105	203	141	115	91	400.00	800.00	13,975.00	1,143.00
	Harrisburg—Colonial Park	174	5	11	4	20	73	110	74	250	223	600.00	600.00	4,866.47	1,237.36
	Haverton—Manoa	147	18	15	9	42	95	111	90	45	30	700.00	1,333.36	12,500.00	575.00
	Levittown—First	340	18	56	14	88	170	545	221	130	123	750.00	750.00	20,865.00	1,564.00
	Mooncrest—Mooncrest Community	168	6	5	.....	11	113	183	127	116	96	240.00	395.00	9,143.08	1,056.93
	Penn Community—Penn Community	96	.....	2	.....	2	56	123	64	.....	.....	400.00	675.50	2,554.31	351.59
	Pittsburgh—North Hills Community	203	7	20	.....	27	120	147	120	.....	.....	240.00	1,337.60	11,827.56	1,000.00
	South Hills Community	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	50	35	.....	.....	1,000.00	3,000.00	122.17	10.15
	Springdale—First	97	7	3	1	11	45	87	53	98	82	400.00	675.00	2,756.24	133.77

DEPARTMENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION—Continued

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	ANNUAL BUDGET												ABHMS	State Conv. or City Soc.	Current Expenses	Denom. Millions
		Church Membership	Received by Baptism	Received by Letter	Received Otherwise	Total Mem- bers Received	Aver. Church Attendance	Sun. School Enrollment	Aver. Sun. Sch. Attend.	Vac. Church Sch. Enroll.	Aver. Vac. Sch. Attendance	ABHMS					
Rhode Island	Williamsport—Tinsman Avenue	64	5	11	2	18	42	168	78	65	58	1,000.00	1,500.00	5,481.64	461.52		
	Willow Grove—Willow Grove	145	27	29	1	57	201	260	160	125	85	900.00	2,507.00	12,441.59	1,502.87		
	Warwick—Spring Green Memorial	170	6	24	1	31	131	176	131	73	58	266.66	833.34	19,063.14	1,324.08		
	Rapid City—North Rapid	40	7	7	.....	14	77	98	102	90	82	900.00	2,000.00	4,250.20	150.00	
South Dakota	Sioux Falls—South Sioux Falls	52	2	10	.....	12	60	84	76	66	60	500.00	643.00	2,714.00	300.00	
	Magna—Community	47	.....	4	.....	4	50	64	60	.....	.....	1,000.00	350.00	1,950.00	849.99
Utah	Murray—Murray	149	10	14	.....	24	73	139	118	63	40	750.00	750.00	4,165.90	386.27	
	Ogden—Washington Heights	51	3	12	.....	15	42	84	62	74	54	50.00	50.00	6,109.55	851.37	
Washington	Salt Lake City—Gilead	167	4	7	.....	11	80	128	80	65	45	1,000.00	600.00	8,900.00	332.13	
	Bellevue—Clyde Hill	114	9	18	5	32	85	160	90	68	64	600.00	310.00	10,400.00	415.00		
	Bremerton—Sheridan Park Comm.	43	5	5	.....	10	30	80	60	90	85	1,070.00	220.00	3,806.79	282.17	
	Moses Lake—American	23	5	3	.....	8	.....	45	30	.....	.....	1,320.00	576.00	10,945.00	1,163.00
	Mountlake Terrace—First	213	18	18	.....	36	150	320	182	126	92	720.00	800.00	5,000.00	100.29	
	Quincy—Central	34	3	.....	.....	3	35	50	40	23	21	800.00	1,200.00	11,202.64	1,015.95
	Seattle—Gregory Heights	81	14	14	.....	28	90	190	121	85	73	1,200.00	1,875.00	3,515.00	287.95	
	Shorewood	39	.....	3	.....	3	46	83	57	73	56	970.00	180.00	4,764.00	81.00
	Spokane—Edgecliff	51	.....	5	.....	5	50	150	100	175	100	600.00	600.00	5,795.81	200.27
	River Edge	90	4	14	.....	18	61	101	48	85	67	300.00	300.00	4,830.42	348.29	
Wisconsin	Wenatchee—Immanuel	87	8	7	.....	15	65	.....	63	76	65	250.00	250.00	5,400.00	424.02
	Yakima—Fruitvale Community	101	13	13	.....	26	65	120	86	50	.....	150.00	250.00	7,323.21	756.42
Wyoming	Kenosha—Calvary	154	13	9	.....	22	62	100	68	62	32	1,170.00	1,460.00	9,687.96	891.76	
	Milwaukee—Summit	110	5	9	.....	14	74	102	62	.....	.....	1,200.00	400.00	10,291.23	1,907.97
	Casper—Bethel	95	11	7	.....	18	89	147	85	73	68	1,200.00	400.00	10,291.23	1,907.97	
Totals		16,212	1,388	2,412	667	4,807	11,016	19,196	12,437	9,732	7,687	\$ 92,886.27	\$ 140,073.50	\$1,006,391.86	\$ 82,176.26		

EDUCATIONAL CENTERS

STATE	HEADQUARTERS										BUDGET				
	Full Time Staff	Volunteers	Churches Served	No. Pastors Enrolled	No. Laypeople Enrolled	No. of Courses Taught	Credit Cards Earned	No. of Children's Vacation Schools Helped	No. Children Enrolled	No. Community Meetings	No. Special Programs	ABHMS	State or City	Other Sources	
No. California	1	1	62	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	.....	10	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,800.00
Illinois	1	40	113	119	172	42	160	.....	250	365	4	1,200.00	1,000.00	18,800.00
Iowa	1	12	45	42	375	28	190	2	241	.....	4	1,300.00	1,365.00	735.00
Kansas	1	34	123	100	247	47	623	1	112	.....	1	720.00	920.00	11,552.00
New York	3	48	154	56	550	58	412	20	1,000	.....	4	3,520.00	2,880.00	1,500.00
New York City	5	18	158	59	900	37	530	50	3,500	1,610	.....	3,700.00	8,300.00	17,500.00
Pennsylvania	2	.....	40	136	312	12	300	.....	.....	.....	2	1,420.00	548.00	662.00
West Virginia	1	20	.....	6	112	20	45	6	192	.....	.....	1,320.00	2,700.00	600.00
Totals	17	210	695	588	2,668	244	2,260	79	5,470	1,975	25	\$14,380.00	\$20,713.00	\$53,149.00	

DEPARTMENT OF EVANGELISM

	Home Visitation Evangelism Efforts			Other Projects			Youth Evangelism Week Ends			Winning the Children Programs			Decisions			
	No. Held	Pastors Trained	Laymen Trained	No. Held	Workers Trained	People Reached	No. Held	Workers Trained	Youth Reached	No. Held	Workers Trained	Children Reached	First Decision or Reaffirmation	Reconsecration	Christian Experience or Letter	Life Service Commitment
General Evangelism																
Pacific Area	17	269	735	10	198	990							150	30	260	15
Mountain Area	10	30	810	83	209	8,050							118	22	95	13
Plateau Area	25	103	427	10	285	1,458							212	2	220	2
W. Central Area	8	32	1,002	86		3,875							101		150	
E. Central Area	23	125	1,764	27		3,425							322	192	74	
Atlantic Area	17	129	1,499	36	911								226	42	127	
New England Area							49	1,319	1,743				37		6	29
Youth Evangelism (inc.)																
Evangelism Among Children																
Western Area										13	194	390				
W. Central Area										7	36	139				
E. Central Area										14	243	463				
Eastern Area										10	159	325				
Totals	100	684	6,147	252	1,603	17,708	49	1,319	1,743	44	632	1,318	1,166	288	932	59

HOMES AND HOSPITALS

STATE	HOMES FOR THE AGED	Year Founded	ADMINISTRATOR	Staff	Number of Residents	Property Value	Endowment	Annual Expense
California (North)	PILGRIM HAVEN 373 Pine Lane, Los Altos, California	1949	Rev. George B. King, Supt.	21	57	\$ 336,914	\$ 38,801	\$ 87,638
California (South)	ATHERTON BAPTIST HOMES 700 Irving Street, Alhambra, California	1914	Mr. George E. S. Colby, Supt.	14	125	817,280	37,856	60,736
	VANDUO HOME (Swedish Baptist Pacific Home) 3845 Fletcher Drive, Los Angeles 65, California	1919	Rev. Fred L. Moberg, Supt.	12	52	216,516	154,516	57,256
Colorado	THE BAPTIST HOME OF COLORADO 881 So. Josephine Street, Denver, Colorado	1954	Dr. Henry G. Smith, Adm.			(In process of organization)		
Connecticut	(SWEDISH) BAPTIST HOME OF REST Elm Park, Shelton, Connecticut	1907	Rev. Ernest E. Nelson, Supt.	8	40	78,975	65,520	37,051
	PIERCE MEMORIAL BAPTIST HOME Box 326, Brooklyn, Connecticut	1951	Mrs. Harley R. Nelson, Supt.	11	28	150,000	14,277	48,651
District of Columbia	BAPTIST HOME OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA 3248 "N" Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.	1880	Mrs. E. C. Pickard, Supt.	9	31	132,673	412,056	29,164
Illinois	BAPTIST HOME AND HOSPITAL 316 Randolph Street, Maywood, Illinois	1907	Mrs. G. Manzelman, Interim Supt.	59	176	1,747,330	185,000	259,813
	CENTRAL BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 7801 W. Lawrence Ave., Chicago 31, Illinois	1896	Dr. M. Vanderbeck, Supt.	18	84	750,000	143,424	105,000
	FRIDHEM (Swedish Baptist Home of Rest) 11404 South Bell Avenue, Chicago 43, Illinois	1902	Rev. C. Geo. Ericson, Supt.	10	76	.....	.....	120,000
	THE MOTHERS' MEMORIAL BAPTIST HOME 402 West Loud Street, Virden, Illinois	1955	Mrs. L. C. Taylor, Supt.	7	14	30,000	.....	22,046
Indiana	INDIANA BAPTIST HOME Zionsville, Indiana	1905	Rev. Loren E. Moore, Ex. Director	21	45	300,000	500,000	60,000
Iowa	DANISH BAPTIST MEMORIAL HOME 2108 - 12th Street, Harlan, Iowa	1948	Rev. Michael Strom, Supt.-Mgr.	32	79	296,037	.....	95,065
	CHARLES CITY BAPTIST HOME Charles City, Iowa		(In process of organization)					
	BETHANY HOME Fairfield, Iowa	.....	Rev. Glen A. Kirsch			(No Report)		
Kansas	SUNSET HOME AND HOSPITAL 804 West 7th Street, Concordia, Kansas	1905	Rev. R. H. Spangler, Adm.	29	113	297,901	279,155	95,613

HOMES AND HOSPITALS—Continued

STATE	HOMES FOR THE AGED	Year Founded	ADMINISTRATOR	Staff	Number of Residents	Property Value	Endowment	Annual Expense
Massachusetts	BAPTIST HOME OF MASSACHUSETTS 66 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill 67, Mass.	1891	Edith I. Short, Supt.	29	61	250,000	1,489,457	115,401
Michigan	DETROIT BAPTIST MANOR 500 Farewell Bldg., Detroit, Michigan	1954	Edward R. Broad, Adm.			(In process of organization)		
Minnesota	*HUNGARIAN BAPTIST HOME Watervliet, Michigan	1924	Rev. Theodor Attila, Director	6	16	50,000	.....	15,000
	BLAISDELL AVENUE BAPTIST HOME 2118 Blaisdell Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota	1930	Mrs. Alice B. Fredeen, Supt.	6	27	156,108	13,800	17,194
	RED WING BAPTIST HOME 1166 Oak Street, Red Wing, Minnesota	1930	Mrs. Ellen D. Minske, Supt.	3	14	50,017	13,800	8,581
	WHEELER MEMORIAL BAPTIST HOME 2201 Pillsbury Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota	1943	Mrs. Sadie Thabes	5	29	108,924	13,800	15,387
Nebraska	WINNEBAGO BAPTIST HOME Winnebago, Minnesota	1930	Mrs. Gretchen Reemtama, Supt.	6	26	84,654	13,800	16,858
New Jersey	JONAS BAPTIST HOME 106 South 31st Avenue, Omaha 31, Nebraska	1949	D. Boyden Cudworth, Supt.	5	18	79,468	13,800	14,103
	BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 285 Roseville Avenue, Newark, New Jersey	1891	Rev. H. O. Wyatt, Supt.	21	65	550,000	.....	68,049
	BAPTIST HOME OF SOUTH JERSEY 303 Bank Avenue, Riverton, New Jersey	1953	Rev. S. Dan Morgan, Pastor-Supt.	7	21	170,000	14,000	38,274
New York	BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 3260 Henry Hudson Parkway, New York 63, N. Y.	1869	Mrs. Helen E. Russell, Supt.	36	107	843,781	1,940,779	164,532
	*BAPTIST HOME OF BROOKLYN 665 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn 21, N. Y.	1869	Mrs. Edythe Baxter, R.N., Supt.	25	61	341,179	570,911	77,937
	BAPTIST HOME OF MONROE COUNTY Whitney Road, Fairport, N. Y.	1904	Rev. A. R. DeMott, Acting Director	24	49	317,000	448,863	100,288
	*EMPIRE BAPTIST HOME 833 East 223 Street, Bronx, N. Y.	1927	Mrs. Mary Clayborn, Supt.	2	14	22,000	.....	12,000

*1956 figures

HOMES AND HOSPITALS—Continued

STATE	HOMES FOR THE AGED	Year Founded	ADMINISTRATOR	Staff	Number of Residents	Property Value	Endowment	Annual Expense
North Dakota	BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 1100 Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota	1940	Rev. B. W. Krentz, Supt.	26	139	370,343	32,243	75,438
Ohio	THE BAPTIST HOME OF OHIO 1801 Chestnut Hills Drive, Cleveland 6, Ohio	1906	Mrs. F. Eloise Pierce, Director	13	39	122,169	221,461	52,203
	BAPTIST HOME AND CENTER OF CINCINNATI 2373 Harrison Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio	1946	Rev. John B. Freestone, Supt.	13	.....	110,000	.....	47,000
Oregon	BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 823 N. E. 82nd Avenue, Portland, Oregon	1915	Rev. L. B. Berndt, Supt.	25	130	237,420	.....	93,268
	*OREGON BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOME 2545 N. E. Flanders Street, Portland 15, Oregon	1945	Mrs. Jennie Lindquist, Supt.	5	28	67,452	.....	25,840
Pennsylvania	BAPTIST HOME OF PHILADELPHIA 8301 Roosevelt Boulevard, Philadelphia 15, Pa.	1869	Mrs. Gladys E. Gilbert, Adm.	97	253	2,000,000	.....	250,000
	BAPTIST ORPHANAGE AND HOME SOCIETY 489 Castle Shannon Boulevard, Pittsburgh 16, Pa.	1910	Rev. John S. Winter, Supt.	25	72	518,871	187,661	118,385
	THE GEORGE NUGENT HOME FOR BAPTISTS 221 W. Johnson Street, Philadelphia 44, Pa.	1887	Mr. Walter S. Lent, Supt.	11	36	136,700	323,942	44,265
	*GERMAN BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED 7023 Rising Sun Avenue, Philadelphia 11, Pa.	1895	Mrs. Helen DeMarco, Supt.	8	46	400,000	.....	60,000
Rhode Island	BAPTIST HOME OF RHODE ISLAND 2 Shepard Avenue, Newport, Rhode Island	1947	Mr. Harold L. Brown, Supt.	8	29	300,000	60,000	33,891
South Dakota	BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGED Madison, South Dakota		(Superintendent to be appointed)			(No Report)		
Washington	BAPTIST HOME OF REST 1802 - 17th Avenue, Seattle 22, Washington	1944	Rev. & Mrs. A. H. Johnson, Supts.	9	42	79,950	1,967	33,946
Canada	BAPTIST HAVEN OF REST Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada	1946	Rev. Rudolf Milbrandt, Supt.	30	95	82,000	.....	75,000
	Totals			696	2,337	\$12,601,662	\$7,240,839	\$2,650,873

*1956 figures

HOMES AND HOSPITALS—Continued

STATE	HOMES FOR CHILDREN	Year Founded	ADMINISTRATOR	Staff	Number of Residents	Property Value	Endowment	Annual Expense
California (South)	CHILDREN'S BAPTIST HOME OF SOUTHERN CALIF. 7715 S. Victoria Avenue, Inglewood 4, California	1931	Rev. Ernest Hasselblad, Supt.	26	113	\$ 383,899	\$	\$ 119,361
Connecticut	THE CHILDREN'S HOME ASSOCIATION New Britain, Connecticut	1903	Rev. Haddon E. Klingberg, Supt.	17	82	300,000	200,000	69,380
District of Columbia	*THE BAPTIST HOME FOR CHILDREN 6301 Green Tree Road, Bethesda 14, Maryland	1915	Mr. John D. Shorrow, Supt.	15	54	350,000	195,000	46,450
Illinois	CENTRAL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME P. O. Box C, Lake Villa Illinois	1895	Thomas T. Mintun, Ex. Director	23	60	260,064	110,113	156,441
	HUDELSON BAPTIST HOME 1400 East Second Street, Centralia, Illinois	1903	Mr. Warren A. Pearson, Supt.	7	45	37,025	140,659	68,350
	SUNNY RIDGE HOME FOR CHILDREN Route 2, Box 24, Wheaton, Illinois	1926	Wayne Swenson, Supt.	9	35	133,000	.....	40,000
Michigan	BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME OF DETROIT 4410 West 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak, Michigan	1924	Miss Rebecca Gill, Director	8	86	72,675	65,644	63,504
New York	*BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME OF LONG ISLAND 2360 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1901	Lawson C. Hanson, Supt.	6	32	133,510	30,600	25,000
	GIRLS HOME SOCIETY, INC. 225 East 53rd Street, N. Y.		Miss Bessie Klumpp, Matron			(No Report)		
	THE JENNIE CLARKSON HOME FOR CHILDREN Valhalla, New York	1892	Mr. Russell L. Snow, Supt.	25	55	164,826	280,839	164,807
	UP-STATS BAPTIST HOME FOR CHILDREN R. D. No. 1, Oneonta, New York	1923	Rev. Glen L. Chandler, Supt.	10	36	100,000	33,000	39,512
Oklahoma	MURROW INDIAN CHILDREN'S HOME Bacone, Oklahoma	1902	Roger W. Getz, Supt.	7	22	150,000	175,859	48,254
Pennsylvania	BAPTIST ORPHANAGE & HOME SOCIETY OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA 489 Castle Shannon Boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.	1910	Rev. John S. Winter, Supt.			(Figures listed under Homes for the Aged)		
	*THE BAPTIST ORPHANAGE OF PHILADELPHIA 58th Street and Thomas Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.	1878	Rev. & Mrs. David F. Bartine, Co-Adm.	.....	92	.....	1,021,459	128,903
Alaska	KODIAK BAPTIST MISSION Kodiak, Alaska	1893	Mr. William W. Stone, Supt.	10	70	200,000	.....	26,000
Totals				163	782	\$2,284,999	\$2,252,973	\$ 998,962

*1956 figures

HOMES AND HOSPITALS—Continued

STATE	HOSPITALS	Year Founded	ADMINISTRATOR	Doctors on Staff	Registered Nurses	Basinets	Beds	Annual Number of Patients	Property Value	Endowment	Annual Expense
Indiana	WELBORN MEMORIAL BAPTIST HOSPITAL 412 Southeast Fourth Street, Evansville, Ind.	1893	Mr. Nolan R. Lackey	2	96	27	215	7,752	\$ 2,200,000	\$	\$1,300,000
Massachusetts	NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST HOSPITAL 91 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston 20, Mass.	1893	Elinor Kirkby, R.N., Acting Adm.	146	137	.....	250	6,183	4,201,485	841,202	2,794,159
Minnesota	MIDWAY HOSPITAL 1700 University Avenue, St. Paul 4, Minn.	1920	Miss Ann Friedsburg, R.N., Supt.	4	83	35	127	7,896	1,417,700	.....	1,639,469
New York	MOUNDS PARK HOSPITAL 200 Pearl Street, St. Paul 6, Minn.	1905	Miss Esther Garnett, R.N., Supt.	2	62	14	134	3,838	773,619	.....	1,106,846
West Virginia	SAMARITAN HOSPITAL 757-63 President Street, Brooklyn 15, N. Y.	1904	Marcus F. Searle, M.D., Supt.	2	15	27	66	1,805	248,027	.....	337,680
Alaska	BROADBEND HOSPITAL Philippi, West Virginia	1945	W. Obed Poling, Adm.	16	14	14	102	3,202	1,485,209	.....	558,250
	CORDOVA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL Cordova, Alaska	1944	Miss Millicent Engel, R.N., Adm.	.....	4	3	22	275	432,204	.....	59,759
Totals				172	411	120	916	30,951	\$10,758,244	\$841,202	\$7,786,163

INDIAN CHURCHES

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	Staff	Church Membership	Baptisms	Received by Letter	Received Otherwise	Church Attendance	Sunday School Enrollment	Sunday School Attendance	Vacation Church School Enrollment	Vacation Church School Attendance	Received from Home Mission Societies	Permanent Improvements	Local Church Expense	Denominational Giving
Arizona	Clarkdale—Bethany	1*	219	1	1	1	44	90	44	85	65	\$ 4,000.00	\$	\$ 678.57	\$ 633.62
	Camp Verde—Bethany	(one church with three meeting places)													
	Middle Verde—Bethany						22	41	22						
	Keams Canyon—Rainbow Community	1	110	30	3		46	182	152	185	140	7,689.18		285.00	219.18
	Parker—Poston	3	91				40	177	58	165	122	8,974.14	19,143.02	898.77	430.86
	Polacca—First Mesa	1	111	9			60	75	55	125	45	4,212.28		411.97	60.82
	Second Mesa—Sunlight Mission	1	27	2	1		26	60	47	205	151	4,360.60		213.31	60.76
California	Auberry—Sierra Sanctuary	1*	90				37	85	36	39	32	3,390.86			
	Dunlap—Dunlap Mission						N O R E P O R T								
Montana	Sycamore—Sycamore Mission	1*	25				23	45	23			600.00			
	Crow Agency—Burgess Memorial	1*	161	3	1		50	200	114	110	84	5,206.83		163.33	236.00
	Crow Agency—Crow Baptist Community		97	7			45							569.21	580.63
	Lodge Grass—Crow First	1	179	5	1		45	137	48	25	15	8,531.70		556.86	1,050.00
	Pryor—Pryor Mission	1	50				28	45	37			925.00		1,879.85	464.90
Nevada	Reno—Colony	1*	49	3	1		14	32	13	42	36	1,500.00		1,159.00	148.00
New York	Stewart—Stewart Protestant	3	66	36			113	90	65	95	77	5,281.67		1,795.00	247.05
	Basom—Tonawanda Indian	1	46				15	30	20		60	1,273.32		442.31	85.53
Oklahoma	Iroquois—Pleasant Valley	1					N O R E P O R T								
	Anadarko—Red Stone		75	3	1		35	45	35	30	30	1,200.00			
	Anadarko—Wichita	1*	94	4			12	31	12		5	4,640.00		316.02	8.66
	Bacone—Bacone	1	200	1	6	5	120	94	76					558.08	823.00
	Fort Cobb—Apache		65				14	30	14					1,312.50	1,110.00
	Hobart—Elk Creek		92	3	2		20	70	20					160.17	
	Mountain View—Rainy Mountain	1	228	8	5		96	101	86	70	70	3,800.00		396.29	60.00
														1,855.27	501.70

*Serves more than one church.

INDIAN CHURCHES—Continued

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	PAID BY CHURCH													
		Staff	Church Membership	Baptisms	Received by Letter	Received Otherwise	Church Attendance	Sunday School Enrollment	Sunday School Attendance	Vacation Church School Enrollment	Vacation Church School Attendance	Received from Home Mission Societies	Permanent Improvements	Local Church Expenses	Denominational Giving
Wisconsin	Saddle Mountain—Saddle Mountain	.....	109	.....	7	.....	36	58	36	28	28	215.00	.....	367.64	25.00
	Walters—Brown	.....	69	.....	.....	.....	19	40	15	25	21	1,600.00	.....	352.00	85.00
	Deyo—First Comanche	1*	238	4	.....	2	25	76	38	41	34	2,100.00	.....	1,548.23	10.00
	Swappingback—Swappingback	1*	83	13	.....	.....	35	42	26	45	31	1,800.00	.....	297.26	14.00
	Watonga—Watonga	.....	70	2	.....	3	34	62	31	42	34	2,484.29	.....	68.34	.....
	Wisconsin Dells—Indian Baptist	1	65	4	.....	1	42	48	38	52	40	500.00	.....	985.03	250.00
	Totals	24	2,709	138	29	12	1,136	2,061	1,201	1,409	1,190	\$76,154.87	\$19,143.02	\$17,270.01	\$ 6,504.50

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CHRISTIAN CENTERS ON INDIAN FIELDS

STATE	CITY — CENTER	Staff	Volunteers	No. Monthly Groups	Average Monthly Attendance	Average Monthly Contacts	Home Missions Societies	RECEIVED FROM			Other Sources
								Community Fund	Baptist Churches		
California	Clovis—Clovis	2	4	4	141	1,498	\$ 6,991.71	\$ .....	.....	\$	\$ 231.05
Nevada	Reno—Colony	2	3	19	290	1,066	6,114.19	2,885.00	200.00	.....	.....
Oklahoma	Anadarko—Anadarko	2	11	8	177	2,316	7,188.00	1,890.79	694.30	.....	710.45
	Totals	6	18	31	608	4,880	\$20,293.90	\$4,775.79	\$ 894.30	\$	\$ 941.50

LATIN AMERICAN FIELDS

Field	CONTRIBUTIONS										SCHOOLS				
	Number of Churches	Missions and Stations	Church Members	Baptisms	Sunday Schools	Average Attendance	Vacation Schools	Attendance	Baptist Constituency	Ordained	Unordained	Women	Students for Ministry	Value Church Properties	Value School Properties
1. Cuba	112	90	7,346	507	299	14,179	33	2,446	35,000	38	15	8	13		
2. El Salvador	23	81	1,911	222	43	1,937	20	809	13,000	6	16	4	2		
3. Haiti	64	533	28,099	2,266	315	18,606	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Mexico	37	102	5,820	418	92	3,855	34	1,660	18,000	28	12	7	20		
5. Nicaragua	20	70	2,066	129	45	2,885	12	517	1,000	10	17	12	8		
6. Puerto Rico	48	116	6,412	305	142	10,827	25	1,148	25,000	26	16	4	15		
Totals	304	992	51,654	3,847	936	51,789	124	6,580	92,000	108	76	35	58		
Field	CONTRIBUTIONS										SCHOOLS				
	Primary & Secondary Enrollment	High School Enrollment	Teachers	Local Expenses	Missions	Other	Total	Budget	Raised Locally	Value Church Properties	Value School Properties				
1. Cuba	2,568	578	197	\$ 82,345.35	\$13,998.10	\$11,348.90	\$107,692.35	\$	\$	\$ 550,500.00	\$				
2. El Salvador	687	.....	.....	21,050.14	4,283.40	286.48	25,570.02	.....	.....	180,720.00	.....			
3. Haiti	3,148	.....	85	.....	.....	.....	37,299.00	.....	.....	383,000.00	.....			
4. Mexico	410	12	22	23,470.00	5,000.00	8,700.00	37,170.00	9,500.00	6,200.00	360,000.00	.....			42,500.00	
5. Nicaragua	850	160	32	10,565.97	5,485.06	8,651.15	24,702.18	60,700.00	48,560.00	325,000.00	.....			500,000.00	
6. Puerto Rico	1,367	310	60	211,497.33	6,771.31	.....	218,268.64	.....	.....	724,607.49	.....			288,300.00	
Totals	9,030	1,060	396	\$348,928.79	\$35,537.87	\$28,986.53	\$450,702.19	\$ 70,200.00	\$ 54,760.00	\$2,473,827.49				\$830,800.00	

SPANISH-AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCHES

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	BUDGET										Denom. Missions
		Church Membership	Received by Baptism	Received by Letter	Aver. Church Attendance	Sun. School Enrollment	Aver. Sun. Sch. Attend.	Vac. Church Sch. Attend.	ABHMS	State Conv. or City Sec.	Current Expenses	
Arizona	Phoenix—Mexican Baptist	95	6	7	115	125	120	50	\$ 360.00	\$ 360.00	\$ 4,800.00	\$ 245.00
	Tucson—First Mexican Baptist	54	.....	2	65	80	60	56	900.00	760.00	1,128.00	66.00
	Yuma—Mexican Baptist	36	.....	6	20	25	22	.....	110.00	90.00	1,310.00	.....
California	Ensenada—Baptist Temple	166	12	2	125	227	157	122	240.00	2,100.00	1,626.00	36.00
	Florence—Mexican Baptist	18	8	4	60	74	62	35	600.00	600.00	.....	.....
	Iglesia Unida	80	4	12	110	130	90	55	600.00	600.00	9,634.00	68.00
	Tijuana—First Baptist	134	.....	.....	150	185	130	92	460.00	900.00	3,300.00	80.00
	Stockton—Mexican Baptist	53	.....	.....	45	65	48	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
	Visalia—Mexican Baptist Church	69	7	2	55	70	60	.....	440.00	800.00	2,097.00	13.00
Illinois	Chicago—Iglesia Latino Americana	50	9	2	85	90	72	.....	600.00	600.00	8,176.00	590.00
	Iglesia Central	62	12	24	55	85	65	.....	100.00	100.00	3,015.00	.....
	Waukegan—Spanish	65	.....	.....	65	49	31	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....
Kansas	Kansas City—Primera Iglesia	64	8	.....	75	85	70	95	600.00	960.00	3,500.00	.....
Michigan	Saginaw—"Bethel" Mexican	52	.....	.....	45	62	40	.....	600.00	600.00	.....	60.00
Nebraska	Scottsbluff—Mexican Baptist	61	5	.....	46	93	59	10	900.00	900.00	877.00	142.00
New York	East New York—Mision Bautista	19	6	9	55	60	56	.....	200.00	200.00	920.00	.....
	Brooklyn—Iglesia Central	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400.00	800.00	.....	.....
Ohio	Campbell—Spanish American	17	3	.....	70	115	70	25	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,700.00	198.00
Wisconsin	Milwaukee—Iglesia Hispana	52	3	.....	90	70	75	.....	1,040.00	1,140.00	4,280.00	130.00
Totals		1,147	83	70	1,331	1,690	1,287	540	\$10,250.00	\$18,610.00	\$46,313.00	\$ 1,628.00

TOWN AND COUNTRY MISSIONARY PASTORS

STATE	CITY — CHURCH	ANNUAL BUDGET										LOCAL CHURCH		
		Church Membership	Received by Baptism	Received by Letter	Received Otherwise	Aver. Church Attendance	Sun. School Enrollment	Sun. School Attendance	Vac. Ch. Sch. Enrollment	Vac. Ch. Sch. Attendance	ABHMS	State Convention	Current Expenses	Missions
Colorado	Delta	.....	1	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,400.00	\$2,300.00	.....	\$ 500.00
	Glenwood Springs—First Baptist	82	4	2	3	55	70	60	45	37	240.00	240.00	6,912.35	584.38
	Phippsburg—Community	33	.....	.....	.....	20	70	45	37	30	1,357.26	170.00	660.00	165.00
	Rangely—First Baptist	171	23	11	7	.....	223	142	115	.....	260.00	260.00	5,804.84	590.55
Idaho	Walsenburg—First Baptist	47	5	.....	1	20	53	35	65	50	192.00	192.00	189.72	117.00
	Hammer—Dubois Community	44	.....	2	.....	30	45	39	50	30	2,360.00	500.00	706.27	125.55
	Hammer—Mud Lake Community	87	2	9	.....	42	85	45	45	33	.....	.....	1,475.37	550.00
	May—Pahsimeroi	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,225.00	450.00	.....	.....
Maine	Osborn—Community	101	14	6	3	48	135	97	151	104	1,500.00	600.00	2,333.16	337.65
	Roberts—Community	99	.....	.....	.....	45	80	53	76	59	1,250.00	100.00	1,829.50	501.54
	Shoshone—First Baptist	177	2	9	1	70	70	70	64	44	300.00	150.00	1,557.02	245.60
	Danforth—Larger Parish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500.00	700.00	.....	.....
Minnesota	Danforth Baptist	158	.....	.....	.....	43	76	63	93	77	.....	.....	1,011.62	376.52
	Brookton Baptist	9	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	134.48	.....
	Topsfield Congregational	59	.....	.....	.....	26	35	26	57	49	.....	.....	.....	30.00
	Orient Baptist (Summer Services)	10	.....	.....	.....	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Minnesota	Battle Lake—First Baptist	44	1	5	.....	50	51	35	25	22	800.00	400.00	598.29	507.08
	Campbell—First Baptist	72	.....	2	.....	40	53	31	.....	.....	282.58	858.33	2,030.00	354.04
	No. Minnesota—Rural Missionary	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,600.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
	McCabe—First Baptist	73	4	.....	.....	40	45	36	21	19	1,760.00	1,300.00	450.00	450.00
Montana	Whitetail—First Baptist	15	2	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	126.00	57.00
	Cut Bank—First Baptist	101	5	14	.....	70	111	71	85	75	300.00	700.00	6,545.37	467.57
	Eureka—First Baptist	206	.....	.....	.....	70	104	64	60	53	975.00	525.00	1,910.26	1,487.31
	Stevensville—First Baptist	54	1	1	1	42	52	39	25	25	1,050.00	300.00	790.65	261.00
Victor—Victor Baptist	29	75	121	80	80	76	100.00	200.00	1,638.55	200.00

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Nebraska	Kilgore—Kilgore Baptist	132	3	47	45	40	30	30	200.00	200.00	932.09	542.81
	Peru—First Baptist	70	.....	.....	.....	30	46	31	15	14	450.00	450.00	623.40	514.48
	Wahoo—First Baptist	37	.....	4	2	27	22	18	.....	.....	229.14	250.00	1,094.74	460.42
	General Missionary	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,651.70	2,050.00	.....	.....
Nevada	Henderson—First Baptist	143	16	12	.....	115	215	145	202	128	1,000.00	450.00	7,000.00	675.00
	Herlong—Community	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300.00	450.00	.....	.....
	Jancsville—First Baptist	33	6	.....	29	45	50	40	30	20	480.00	120.00	1,200.00	30.00
	Las Vegas—Blue Diamond, S. S.	9	.....	8	1	48	98	55	70	68	1,900.00	.....	600.00	65.00
	Whitney, S. S.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	10	16	12	.....	.....	73.00	.....
	North Las Vegas—First Baptist	150	20	25	2	95	200	152	94	72	1,466.67	.....	2,199.74	357.61
	Overton	18	2	2	.....	26	40	35	30	22	120.00	390.00	153.47	110.00
	Reno—Community	109	4	7	3	65	157	157	45	45	1,700.00	.....	5,025.00	768.56
	Volunteer Ministry—Las Vegas	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600.00	.....	.....	.....
	Wolfeboro Falls—First Baptist	91	4	2	1	50	60	48	45	38	900.00	900.00	1,707.08	639.30
North Dakota	Butte and Kief—First Baptist	35	1	2	1	25	35	20	30	30	600.00	.....	738.68	298.50
	Lisbon—First Baptist	57	.....	1	.....	71	87	69	45	42	480.00	.....	3,454.54	745.60
	Minot—Immanuel Baptist	131	13	39	.....	132	124	91	87	59	850.00	170.00	6,130.80	1,611.93
	New Town—First Baptist	51	5	4	.....	60	65	46	46	43	900.00	300.00	2,691.38	577.29
	Sawyer—First Baptist	43	.....	.....	2	52	.....	46	30	26	600.00	.....	484.98	625.67
Ohio	Coalton—Evergreen	22	.....	.....	.....	25	40	30	6	5	590.00	590.00	150.00	40.00
	First Baptist	67	3	.....	.....	30	100	55	38	26	.....	.....	708.40	48.00
	Pleasant Valley Baptist	26	.....	.....	.....	18	40	21	58	46	.....	.....	238.86	300.00
	Proctorville—Beulah Baptist	119	3	5	.....	39	200	150	75	60	500.00	500.00	2,014.78	177.65
	Rio Grande—So. Ohio—Rural Mission.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92.50	11.00	.....	.....
	Vinton—Larger Parish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	544.50	544.50	.....	.....
	Gallia Baptist	89	.....	2	1	24	58	39	44	37	.....	.....	446.09	31.00
	Salem	46	16	32	23	20	16	135.00	71.00
	Vinton Baptist	76	16	25	95	74	47	41	139.59	27.00

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Oregon	Ocean Lake—First Baptist	65	2	50	45	47	43	600.00	600.00	1,514.90	351.69
	Riddle—First Baptist	88	9	1	55	75	65	52	50	480.00	480.00	2,494.55	201.92
	Timber Lake—First Baptist	127	4	.....	106	.....	.....	71	.....	.....	1,000.00	.....	4,089.32	.....
South Dakota	Union Center—Meade Co. Large Par.	82	6	6	.....	130	135	96	93	82	300.00	300.00	2,400.00	751.77
	Winner—First Baptist	106	4	3	.....	80	82	66	42	35	250.00	250.00	3,987.43	1,088.64
	Dixon—First Baptist	71	.....	.....	.....	43	45	43	45	42	.....	.....	242.37	450.00
Utah	Monticello—San Juan Com. Baptist	52	.....	2	.....	45	40	40	.....	.....	1,136.66	240.00	2,826.87	101.54
	St. George—Community Baptist	35	.....	.....	13	33	75	40	50	36	600.00	600.00	1,903.35	257.00
Washington	Belfair—Community Baptist	139	18	.....	3	105	262	153	155	117	405.00	405.00	2,377.56	948.88
	Newport—First Baptist	67	3	2	.....	31	55	40	.....	.....	347.25	.....	1,197.49	125.72
	Priest River Community	41	5	3	.....	33	60	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	300.00	261.00
West Virginia	Ohio Valley—Area Missionary	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	670.83	1,332.00	.....	.....
	Burns—Golden Prairie	51	.....	1	1	41	72	45	42	37	180.00	120.00	3,846.88	1,062.76
Wyoming	Hulett—Community Baptist	194	3	.....	.....	59	175	107	123	105	300.00	.....	2,940.00	1,674.23
	Jackson—First Baptist	36	9	7	2	48	.....	53	55	44	2,337.75	300.00	.....	307.00
	Linch—Community Baptist	43	.....	.....	6	30	223	108	156	100	900.00	300.00	1,565.00	120.00
Totals		4,422	207	203	102	2,750	4,652	3,443	3,057	2,354	\$ 45,113.84	\$ 22,797.83	\$106,380.79	\$ 24,296.76

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164 Fifth Avenue, New York 10, N. Y.

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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETINGS
OF
THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
AND THE
WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, JUNE 3, 1957

The Societies were called to order by the president, Rev. C. W. Cranford of the District of Columbia.

On motion of the recording secretary, the minutes of the annual meeting of the Societies, held in Seattle, Wash., June 22, 1956 (see 1956 A.B.C. *Year Book*, page 79) were approved.

The annual report of the Board of Managers was presented by the Treasurer, Sec. W. H. Rhoades of New York and, on his motion, was adopted.

The following report of the Committee on Nominations was presented by Rev. F. H. Snell of Rhode Island and, on motion of Rev. L. P. Samuelson of New York, it was voted that the nominations be closed and that the recording secretary cast the ballot of the Societies for the persons nominated:

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Western Vice-President, Rev. Gordon Palmer, Los Angeles, California
Recording Secretary, Rev. C. G. Hansen, New York, New York

BOARD OF MANAGERS

Term Ending 1958

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Term Ending 1960

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The recording secretary cast the ballot and the persons nominated were declared elected.

Sec. W. H. Rhoades of New York presented Sec. Jitsuo Morikawa of New York and Miss F. Lenore Kruse of New York.

On motion, the Societies adjourned.

CLIFFORD G. HANSEN, *Recording Secretary*

**THE AMERICAN BAPTIST
HOME MISSION SOCIETY**

**164 Fifth Avenue
New York 10, N. Y.**



Act of Incorporation

By-Laws

By-Laws of the Board of Managers

ACT OF INCORPORATION
OF
THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
Consisting of Various Acts of the Legislature of New York

(Being chapter one hundred and seventeen of the laws of eighteen hundred and forty-three, as amended by chapter thirty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and forty-nine, and chapter one hundred and ninety-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, and further amended by chapter five hundred and twenty-eight of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and further amended by chapter two hundred and sixty of the laws of nineteen hundred, and further amended by chapter three hundred and fifty-eight of the laws of nineteen hundred and two.)

1. All such persons as are now, or hereafter may become members of The American Baptist Home Mission Society, formed in the City of New York in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-two, shall be, and hereby are, constituted a body corporate by the name of "The American Baptist Home Mission Society," for the purpose of promoting the preaching of the Gospel, for the establishing, maintaining, or aiding Baptist churches or missions, for the acquisition of sites in contemplation of the erection of houses of worship and other buildings, and for the establishing or maintaining, or assisting in the establishing or maintaining of schools and other institutions of learning in connection with its missionary work in North America.

2. It shall be lawful for the members of the said Society, at any time they may elect, to appoint such officers and to make and ordain such by-laws and regulations in relation to their organization and to the management, disposition, and sale of their real or personal estate, the duties and powers of their officers and the management of their corporate affairs as they shall think proper, provided they are not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this state and of the United States. The executive board may, on complying with this act and the constitution and By-laws of the Society, and without application to the court, sell, convey, mortgage, lease, or otherwise dispose of any real property, wherever situated, owned by the Society. Any deed, mortgage, lease, or other instrument by which any title or interest is transferred, may be executed by the corresponding secretary and the treasurer of the Society, unless otherwise ordered by its executive board.

3. The said corporation shall have power to receive, take, hold, and enjoy any property, real or personal, by virtue of any devise, bequest, gift, grant, or purchase, either absolutely or in trust, and to accumulate the same for such period as required by the bequest, devise, or gift and not prohibited by law; and to make investments thereof, or of the proceeds thereof, or of any of its funds, wherever and in such manner as may be deemed advisable, and therewith to acquire or erect for its own use or accommodation, or for other purposes, such building or buildings as it may regard advantageous to the interests of the Society, or of the Baptist denomination, with which it is connected; and the said corporation shall also be competent to act as trustee in respect to any devise or bequest pertaining to the object of its corporation; and devises and bequests of real or personal property may be directly made to said corporation, or in trust, for any of the purposes comprehended in the general objects of said Society, and such trusts may continue for such time as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes for which they may be created; subject, however, in respect to the amount of property it may take and hold, to the restrictions and limitations of existing laws and in respect to devises or bequests from residents of the State of New York, to the provisions of chapter three hundred and sixty of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty, entitled "An Act in relation to wills."

4. The annual and other meetings of said corporation may be held at such place or places within the United States, and at such time or times as the said corporation may, from time to time, determine.

THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY

TREASURER'S REPORT
December 31, 1957

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**The American Baptist Home Mission Society,
 New York, N. Y.**

We have examined the financial statements of THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY as of December 31, 1957. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The Society owns or has equities in certain Christian centers, schools and missions. Except for investments in physical properties, the accounts of the Society and the accompanying financial statements do not include such other assets and such liabilities as these institutions may have. We did not examine the accounts or records of these institutions.

In our opinion, subject to the foregoing comments the accompanying financial statements present fairly the assets, liabilities, reserves and fund balances of the Society at December 31, 1957, and surplus, income, expenditures, interfund transfers and changes in funds for the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery

New York, April 25, 1958.

THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1957

ASSETS:

Permanent funds:			
Investments (Note 1).....	\$11,845,871.87		
Interest-bearing demand loan, interfund (contra).....	153,000.00		
Cash	7,537.01		
Land and buildings, New York office property.....	227,933.02	\$12,234,341.90	
Annuity fund (Note 3):			
Investments (Note 1).....	1,077,613.73		
Cash	28,989.36	1,106,603.09	
Special trust funds:			
Income payable to individual beneficiaries:			
Investments (Note 1).....	\$ 281,869.14		
Cash	1,837.28	283,706.42	
Income payable to state conventions and city mission societies:			
Investments (Note 1).....	3,054,859.16		
Cash	795.36	3,055,654.52	
Special endowment for Negro schools and colleges:			
Investments (Note 1).....	830,732.92		
Cash	925.96	831,658.88	4,171,019.82
Funds for loans and grants to churches:			
Church edifice loan fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	99,621.55		
Loans to churches, principally on first mortgages (Note 2)	488,570.24		
Cash	11,893.81	600,085.60	
Special church edifice loan fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	51,358.27		
Loans to churches on special terms (Note 2).....	1,253,989.79		
Cash	32,964.88	1,343,312.94	
Church extension fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	4,975.83		
Loans to churches (Note 2).....	136,452.93		
Cash	22,582.29	164,011.05	
Emergency church edifice reconstruction fund:			
Loans to churches (Note 2).....	1,002.79		
Cash	409.08	1,411.87	
Church edifice fund (Clinton fund No. 2):			
Loans to churches (Note 2).....	190,474.55		
Cash	13,313.00	203,787.55	
Churches for new frontiers fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	49,758.26		
Loans to churches (Note 2).....	2,479,324.65		
Cash	1,233.71	2,530,316.62	4,842,925.63
Property and equipment fund:			
Interest in school properties.....	2,095,074.55		
Interest in mission properties (Note 2).....	1,396,539.25		
Interest in Christian center properties.....	602,512.78		
Cash	18,588.94	4,112,715.52	
Temporary funds for designated purposes:			
Investments (Note 1).....	845,872.09		
Interest-bearing demand loan, interfund (contra).....	75,000.00		
Cash (including \$4,305.51 in transit).....	103,142.06	1,024,014.15	
Arizona Baptist Promotion Committee fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	3,800.00		
Loans to churches (Note 2).....	6,570.62	10,370.62	
Current funds:			
General fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	1,152.52		
Cash (including \$72,955.28 in transit).....	77,050.14		
Advances for traveling expenses, etc.....	30,241.42		
Prepaid insurance, miscellaneous receivables, etc.....	45,047.51		
Due from Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society	10,748.00		
Furniture and fixtures, at nominal amount.....	1.00	164,240.59	
Reserve funds:			
Investments (Note 1).....	857,975.35		
Cash	23,811.61	881,786.96	1,046,027.55
			<u>\$28,548,018.28</u>

The accompanying notes and summary of fund investments are an integral part
of the above balance sheet.

THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1957

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES:

Permanent funds, as annexed:

Unrestricted as to income.....	\$ 8,155,390.35	
Restricted as to income.....	4,050,403.23	
Reserve for losses on investments (net profits from disposal of investments, less revaluation write-downs), unallocated.....	28,548.32	\$12,234,341.90

Annuity fund, as annexed:

Par value of special gift agreements (Note 3).....	1,011,179.49	
Reserve for losses on investments.....	95,423.60	1,106,603.09

Special trust funds, as annexed:

Income from funds payable to:

Individual beneficiaries (including \$1,139.98 undistributed income)	283,706.42	
State conventions and city mission societies.....	3,055,654.52	
Negro schools and colleges.....	831,658.88	4,171,019.82

Funds for loans and grants to churches:

Church edifice loan fund, as annexed.....	600,085.60	
Special church edifice loan fund, as annexed.....	1,343,312.94	
Church extension fund, as annexed.....	164,011.05	
Emergency church edifice reconstruction fund, as annexed.....	1,411.87	
Church edifice fund (Clinton fund No. 2), as annexed.....	203,787.55	
Churches for new frontiers fund:		
Interest-bearing demand loan payable, interfund (contra)	\$ 68,000.00	
Fund balance, as annexed.....	2,462,316.62	4,842,925.63

Property and equipment fund, as annexed..... 4,112,715.52

Temporary funds for designated purposes, as annexed:

Unexpended balances	766,370.81	
Reserve for losses on investments.....	257,643.34	1,024,014.15

Arizona Baptist Promotion Committee fund (no change during year) 10,370.62

Current funds:

General fund:

Interest-bearing demand loans payable, interfund (contra)	160,000.00	
Reserve for losses on investments, as annexed.....	1,148.56	
Surplus, as annexed.....	3,092.03	164,240.59

Reserve funds, as annexed:

For equalization of income:

From legacies	196,993.51	
From matured special gift agreements.....	140,844.25	
From appropriations	56,673.54	
	394,511.30	
For retirement allowances.....	158,117.01	
For group insurance.....	64,945.15	
For fire and tornado losses.....	130,772.25	
For losses on investments.....	133,441.25	881,786.96
		1,046,027.55
		<u>\$28,548,018.28</u>

The accompanying notes and summary of fund investments are an integral part of the above balance sheet.

SUMMARY OF FUNDS INVESTMENTS

December 31, 1957

(See Note 1 to Balance Sheet)

	Book Amounts	Amounts of Bonds and Stocks Based on Dec. 31, 1957 Market Quotations†
Permanent funds:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 8,079,781.50	\$10,190,767.68
Mortgages (less \$1,851.77 escrow accounts*).....	3,587,931.27	
Real estate bonds and mortgage certificates.....	27,054.50	
Real estate	49,412.22	
Notes receivable from affiliated organizations.....	101,736.38	
Claims	6.00	
	<u>\$11,845,871.87</u>	
Annuity fund:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 818,024.36	738,143.28
Mortgages	259,589.37	
	<u>\$ 1,077,613.73</u>	
Special trust funds:		
Income payable to individual beneficiaries:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 281,374.55	356,500.79
Mortgages	492.59	
Miscellaneous investments	2.00	
	<u>\$ 281,869.14</u>	
Income payable to state conventions and city mission societies:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 2,294,899.29	4,027,957.98
Mortgages	759,958.87	
Claims	1.00	
	<u>\$ 3,054,859.16</u>	
Special endowment for Negro schools and colleges:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 483,521.15	451,475.48
Mortgages (less \$22.26 escrow accounts*).....	347,211.77	
	<u>\$ 830,732.92</u>	
Funds for loans and grants to churches:		
Church edifice loan fund:		
U. S. Government Bonds.....	\$ 99,620.55	\$ 99,620.55
Real estate	1.00	
	<u>\$ 99,621.55</u>	
Special church edifice loan fund:		
U. S. Government bonds.....	\$ 49,758.27	49,758.27
Real estate (less \$15,308.84 collateral for loan to church).....	1,600.00	
	<u>\$ 51,358.27</u>	
Church extension fund:		
U. S. Government bonds.....	\$ 4,975.83	4,975.83
Churches for new frontiers fund:		
U. S. Government bonds.....	\$ 49,758.26	49,758.26
Temporary funds for designated purposes:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 537,976.89	596,993.95
Mortgages	280,785.57	
Real estate	26,109.63	
Loans to schools.....	1,000.00	
	<u>\$ 845,872.09</u>	

SUMMARY OF FUNDS INVESTMENTS—Continued

December 31, 1957

	Book Amounts	Amounts of Bonds and Stocks Based on Dec. 31, 1957 Market Quotations†
Arizona Baptist Promotion Committee fund:		
Real estate	\$ 3,800.00	
Current funds:		
General fund:		
Common stock	\$ 1,146.52	4,541.63
Mortgage certificates	1.00	
Real estate	3.00	
Miscellaneous investments	2.00	
	\$ 1,152.52	
Reserve funds:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 665,502.18	696,020.03
Mortgages	67,314.46	
Real estate	16,969.37	
Notes and loans receivable:		
Virginia Union University.....	\$ 42,000.00	
Shaw University	22,844.23	
Bacone College	15,000.00	
Miscellaneous	28,341.11	108,185.34
Other investments	4.00	
	\$ 857,975.35	

*Escrow accounts represent net advances for taxes, expenses, etc.

†Market quotations represent last sale prices on December 31, 1957 or, in the absence of recorded sales, principally the closing bid prices. U. S. Government Series F and Series G bonds are stated at redemption values.

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND SURPLUS

for the year ended December 31, 1957

Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 2,314.26	
Add:		
Transfer from temporary funds for designated purposes (un- used balance 125th Anniversary Fund).....	\$ 5,266.69	
Net changes applicable to budget of prior year.....	1,174.49	6,441.18*
		8,755.44
Deduct:		
Excess of regular budget expenditures and transfers (\$1,200,329.78, page 10) over regular budget income and transfers (\$1,194,666.37, page 7).....		5,663.41
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	\$ 3,092.03	

*See notes (page 29) to statements of income and expenditures.

NOTES TO BALANCE SHEET

- Investments are carried in the annexed balance sheet at book amounts which are not more than cost or amounts assigned thereto at date of gift to the Society. Market quotations at December 31, 1957 for bonds and stocks are shown on an accompanying schedule. Market quotations for mortgages, mortgage certificates, real estate bonds, real estate and other investments are not readily ascertainable.
- The collectibility of the outstanding loans to churches is not readily determinable; the amounts at which mission properties are carried include \$160,311.46 for capital expenditures on properties in Mexico for which the Society cannot hold legal title.
- The Insurance Law of the State of New York requires the segregation of annuity fund assets as separate and distinct from all other funds of the Society, and such assets are not available for the payment of debts of the Society other than annuity benefits. The Insurance Law also requires the maintenance of prescribed minimum reserves for annuity contracts. The annual report on the form prescribed by the Insurance Department has been filed for the year ended December 31, 1957. The calculation of the reserve requirement at December 31, 1957 was certified to the Insurance Department by officers of the Board and it is believed that the assets of the annuity fund at that date were adequate to meet this reserve requirement.

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS

for the year ended December 31, 1957

GENERAL FUND--Regular budget:

Donations:

Contributions from the denomination:

Distributable funds for general purposes.....	\$	471,511.83	
Designated funds for special purposes.....		81,184.91	
Designated funds for America for Christ.....		114,044.49	
Field workers' collections.....		1,616.44	
Income from donations.....	\$		668,357.67

Sources other than donations:

Income from investments (Note 1):

Permanent funds (including Isaac Davis Fund, \$412.35).....	471,916.63	
Current fund	3,051.73	
		474,968.36

Less:

Internal service charges by real estate and mortgage division.....	\$	12,859.82	
Write-down of premiums on certain bonds and preferred stocks.....		4,952.96	17,812.78
			457,155.58

Real estate and mortgage division:

Service charges (including \$658 from outside sources)	26,683.33	
Less, Related salaries and expenses.....	15,113.86	11,569.47
Trustee commissions (includes \$5,251.46 from designated funds)		6,193.35
Received from other societies for joint administration.....		8,194.20
Miscellaneous		1,969.04
Income from sources other than donations.....		485,081.64

Transferred from other funds:

Reserves for equalization of income:

From legacies	20,000.00	
From matured special gift agreements.....	20,000.00	40,000.00
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....		1,227.06
Total transferred from other funds.....		41,227.06

Total income and interfund transfers, general fund-- regular budget, transferred to surplus (Note 2)	\$	1,194,666.37
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STATEMENT OF INCOME AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS—Continued

TEMPORARY FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES:

Donations from churches and individuals.....	\$ 75,263.66
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Sources other than donations:

Income from investments (Note 1):

Permanent trust funds for special purposes.....	\$ 191,707.71
Temporary funds for designated purposes, less \$13,421.93 transferred to reserve for losses on investments.....	24,456.85
	<u>216,164.56</u>

Less:

Service charges by real estate and mort- gage division	\$ 5,696.83
Trustee commissions (internal charge, see general fund)	5,251.46
Write-down of premiums on certain bonds	2,430.67
	<u>13,378.96</u>
	202,785.60

Legacies credited direct.....	5,955.30
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Miscellaneous:

For Associated Home Mission Agencies.....	11,459.70
Sale of Christian Center property.....	7,950.51
Sales of literature (net of expenses).....	7,310.34
Rents from mission properties, etc.....	4,021.09
Tours (net of expenses).....	2,549.33
Unclassified	11,884.86
	<u>45,175.83</u>

Income from sources other than donations.....	253,916.73
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Transferred from other funds:

General fund, regular budget.....	65,916.12
Temporary funds for designated purposes, reserve for losses on investments	25,000.00
Permanent funds, unrestricted as to income.....	147,500.00
Reserve for equalization of income.....	20,000.00
Special trust funds.....	2,800.00
	<u>261,216.12</u>

Total transferred from other funds.....	261,216.12
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Total income and interfund transfers, temporary funds for designated purposes.....	<u>\$ 590,396.51</u>
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Notes:

1. The income from investments is accounted for as received; however, there is no material difference between investment income on a cash basis and on an accrual basis.
2. Total income, general fund—regular budget, excludes \$7,785.47 transferred from temporary funds for designated purposes (\$5,266.69 unused balance in 125th Anniversary Fund and \$2,518.78 applicable to budget of prior year), credited direct to surplus (page 27).

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS
for the year ended December 31, 1957

	General Fund Regular Budget	Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes
Cities:		
Cooperating with city mission societies.....	\$ 15,489.36	\$ 1,660.00
Cooperating with state conventions.....	14,582.56	1,567.83
General missionaries	38,500.26	
Christian centers	52,547.22	7,981.80
Juvenile protection	26,065.27	
Spanish American Seminary property.....		20,000.00†
Christian center property.....	22,545.91	15,300.00†
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	12,412.56	
Miscellaneous	2,997.19	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	\$ 185,140.42	\$ 75,708.38
Town and country:		
Directors	47,290.17	
Missionary pastors	31,267.27	18,620.44
Colporters		6,183.87
School conferences and literature.....	10,314.84	
Interdenominational work	2,214.30	
Indian work		20,442.89
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	9,980.71	
Miscellaneous	12,943.87	2,451.14
Transferred to:		
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....	2,969.58	
Reserve for fire and tornado losses.....	48.86	
Retirement allowance reserve fund.....	117,029.60	48,524.68
Evangelism:		
Salaries and expenses, field work.....	67,346.60	
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	18,529.16	6,253.18
Transferred to:		
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....	1,407.50	11,468.18
	87,283.26	

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS—Continued

	General Fund Regular Budget	Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes
Latin America:		
Missions, salaries and expenses.....	\$ 122,153.03	\$ 52,084.89
Education	69,503.73	25,130.85
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	14,513.72	
Medical expenses	26,115.46	
Mission property		5,600.00†
School property		24,543.72†
Miscellaneous	31,479.14	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	26,033.20	
Reserve for fire and tornado losses.....	34.34	\$ 107,359.46
Edifice funds and building counsel:		
Loans to churches transferred to special church edifice loan fund	2,420.78	33,137.49
Building counsel	16,103.70	
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	18,524.48	
	11,959.97	
	6,564.51	
	118.43	33,137.49
Leas, Portion allocated to various loan funds.....	6,652.94	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....		
Church extension:		
Cooperating with city mission societies.....	23,932.49	
Cooperating with state conventions.....	63,429.23	
General field representatives.....	16,762.75	
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	7,845.10	
Miscellaneous	3,938.49	21,598.84
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	2,750.00	
	118,658.06	21,598.84
Christian ministry to servicemen:		
Sundry expenditures	46,435.10	
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	8,301.27	3,287.77
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	3,075.00	
	57,811.37	3,287.77
Homes and hospitals:		
Field work	3,775.37	323.25
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	17,606.01	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	387.18	
	21,769.06	323.25

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS—Continued

	General Fund Regular Budget	Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes
World Mission Crusade:		
Mission property		\$ 19,669.10†
Sundry expenditures		2,534.50
		\$ 22,193.60
Administration and general expenses:		
Executive and general administration.....	\$ 73,463.95	
Finance Department	56,596.89	
Maintenance of New York office property.....	22,410.94	
Interest on internal demand loans.....	4,000.00	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	221.96	
	\$ 156,693.74	
Public relations:		
Salaries and expenses.....	43,738.96	
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	659.56	
	44,398.52	
Enlisting missionaries:		
Salaries and expenses, administration.....	16,353.19	490.00
Transferred to temporary funds for designated purposes.....	291.52	
	16,644.71	490.00
Other disbursements:		
Schools for negroes, insurance, etc.....		36,352.63
National Council of Churches for Christ.....	5,400.00	
Associated Home Mission Agencies.....	2,025.22	14,391.78
Furniture and equipment.....		4,330.43
Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society.....		2,579.21
125th Anniversary		18,559.47
Rent, 166 Fifth Avenue.....		3,000.00
Social Security taxes.....	2,707.36	
Miscellaneous	1,247.90	
	11,380.48	85,423.95
Transferred to:		
General fund—regular budget.....		1,227.06
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....		7,785.47
General fund surplus.....	25,000.00	3,355.59
Permanent fund		10,059.64
Churches for new frontiers fund.....		4,000.00
Special church edifice loan fund.....		2,170.14
Retirement allowance reserve fund.....	60,000.00	
Reserve for fire and tornado losses.....	2,000.00	
	87,000.00	32,555.18
Total expenditures, including transfers.....	\$1,200,329.78*	\$ 442,060.73

†Transferred to property and equipment fund.

*Total expenditures, general fund regular budget, excludes \$1,344.29 applicable to budget of prior year charged direct to surplus (page 27).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS
for the year ended December 31, 1957

PERMANENT FUNDS:

	Unrestricted as to Income	Restricted as to Income	Reserve for Losses on Investments, Unallocated
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$7,496,376.11	\$3,893,546.18	\$ 294,376.88
Add:			
Legacies		16,278.17	
Contributions	110.00	44,844.91	
Income added to funds.....	17.53	16.05	
Net profit on disposal of investments.....	601,544.41	95,715.92	5,660.10
Transferred from:			
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....	3,353.59	2.00	
Transferred from reserve for losses on invest- ments, unallocated—allocation of prior year's profit on disposal of investments.....	271,488.66		
	<u>\$8,372,890.35</u>	<u>\$4,050,403.23</u>	<u>\$ 300,036.93</u>
Deduct:			
Transferred to permanent funds unrestricted as to income—allocation of prior year's profit on disposal of investments.....			\$ 271,488.66
Permanent funds unrestricted as to principal or income, transferred to:			
Temporary funds for designated purposes	\$ 147,500.00		
Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society	70,000.00		
	<u>\$ 217,500.00</u>		<u>\$ 271,488.66</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$8,155,390.35</u>	<u>\$4,050,403.23</u>	<u>\$ 28,548.32</u>

ANNUITY FUND:

	Par Value of Special Gift Agreements	Advance Payments on Annuities	Reserve for Losses on Investments
Principal:			
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$1,033,121.76	\$ 294.00	\$ 91,732.90
Add:			
Annuities sold	26,035.33		
Write-up in book value of investment in ac- cordance with New York State Insurance Department ruling			6,525.00
Income from investments.....			220.70
	<u>\$1,059,157.09</u>	<u>\$ 294.00</u>	<u>\$ 98,478.60</u>
Deduct:			
Net loss on disposal of investments.....			\$ 3,055.00
Annuities matured, transferred to reserve for equalization of income, matured spe- cial gift agreements.....	\$ 47,977.60	\$ 294.00	
	<u>\$ 47,977.60</u>	<u>\$ 294.00</u>	<u>\$ 3,055.00</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$1,011,179.49</u>		<u>\$ 95,423.60</u>
Income:			
Income from investments.....	\$ 42,225.64		
Less, Write-down of premiums on certain securities	939.21		
	<u>41,286.43</u>		
Add, Transferred from reserve for equalization of income, matured special gift agreements.....	12,209.74		
Total income and transfer.....	<u>\$ 53,496.17</u>		
Payments:			
Internal service charge.....	\$ 1,406.49		
Payments to beneficiaries.....	52,089.68		
Total payments	<u>\$ 53,496.17</u>		

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS—Continued

SPECIAL TRUST FUNDS:

	With Income Payable to		
	Individual Beneficiaries	State Conventions and City Mission Societies	Negro Schools and Colleges
Principal:			
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 282,391.54	\$3,055,654.52	\$ 831,617.83
Add, Net profit on disposal of investments.....	174.90		41.05
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 282,566.44</u>	<u>\$3,055,654.52</u>	<u>\$ 831,658.88</u>
Income:			
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 1,002.07		
Add, Income from investments.....	19,977.82	\$ 201,067.53	\$ 36,979.15
	20,979.89	201,067.53	36,979.15
Less, Write-down of premiums on certain securities	30.68	1,570.54	173.87
	<u>\$ 20,949.21</u>	<u>\$ 199,496.99</u>	<u>\$ 36,805.28</u>
Deduct:			
Internal service charge.....		\$ 4,136.67	\$ 1,621.93
Internal trustee commission.....		54.75	887.14
Transferred to temporary funds for desig- nated purposes	\$ 2,800.00		
Payments to beneficiaries:			
Individuals	17,009.23		
Colorado Baptist Convention.....		836.29	
Los Angeles Baptist City Mission Society..		89,823.09	
San Francisco Bay Cities Baptist Union....		19,911.55	
Southern California Baptist Convention....		64,823.09	
Seattle Baptist Union.....		19,911.55	
Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.....			11,432.07
Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C.....			11,432.07
Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va.			11,432.07
	<u>\$ 19,809.23</u>	<u>\$ 199,496.99</u>	<u>\$ 36,805.28</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 1,139.98</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Balances, Principal and Income,			
December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 283,706.42</u>	<u>\$3,055,654.52</u>	<u>\$ 831,658.88</u>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS—Continued
FUNDS FOR LOANS AND GRANTS TO CHURCHES:

	Church Edifice Loan Fund	Special Church Edifice Loan Fund	Church Extension Fund	Emergency Church Edifice Reconstruction Fund	Church Edifice Fund, Clinton Fund No. 2	Churches for New Frontiers Fund
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$581,086.29	\$1,277,332.83	\$160,970.86	\$ 2,441.79	\$198,240.73	\$2,278,922.76
Add:						
Income on investments.....	539.96	1,520.95	122.59		27.25	5,875.55
Interest on loans.....	19,844.54	27,919.95	3,156.81		6,237.16	36,295.99
Payments on loans(loans previously carried at nominal amounts)		2,999.00		330.00		
Contributions						137,354.58
Transferred from temporary funds for designated pur- poses:						
Loans to churches.....		33,137.49				
Other		4,000.00				10,059.64
	<u>\$601,520.79</u>	<u>\$1,346,910.22</u>	<u>\$164,250.26</u>	<u>\$ 2,771.79</u>	<u>\$204,505.14</u>	<u>\$2,468,508.52</u>
Deduct:						
Administration expenses prorated from the general fund	\$ 1,435.19	\$ 3,597.28	\$ 239.21		\$ 717.59	\$ 6,191.90
Loans written down to nominal amount.....				\$ 1,359.32		
	<u>\$ 1,435.19</u>	<u>\$ 3,597.28</u>	<u>\$ 239.21</u>	<u>\$ 1,359.32</u>	<u>\$ 717.59</u>	<u>\$ 6,191.90</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$600,085.60</u>	<u>\$1,343,312.94</u>	<u>\$164,011.05</u>	<u>\$ 1,411.37</u>	<u>\$203,787.55</u>	<u>\$2,462,316.62</u>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS—Continued

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUND:

Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$4,027,612.70
Add:	
Capital expenditures transferred from temporary funds for designated purposes	85,102.82
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$4,112,715.52</u>

TEMPORARY FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES:

	<u>Unexpended Balances</u>	<u>Reserve for Losses on Investments</u>
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$618,035.03	\$269,221.41
Add:		
Excess of income and transfers (\$590,396.51, page 29) over expenditures and transfers (\$442,060.73, page 32)	148,335.78	
Transferred from income from investments, temporary funds for designated purposes, as appropriated by the Board.....		13,421.93
		<u>282,643.34</u>
Deduct:		
Transfer to unexpended balances (Latin America mission and educational loan fund)		25,000.00
	<u>\$766,370.81</u>	<u>\$257,643.34</u>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS—Continued

RESERVE FUNDS:

	Reserves for Equalization of Income		
	From Legacies	From Matured Special Gift Agreements	From Appropriations
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$177,306.54	\$123,349.18	\$ 75,022.85
Add:			
Interest credited to reserve.....	5,737.47	4,102.26	1,650.69
Legacies received	33,950.50		
Transferred from annuity fund (matured annuities)		47,977.60	
	<u>\$216,994.51</u>	<u>\$175,429.04</u>	<u>\$ 76,673.54</u>
Deduct:			
Transferred to other funds:			
General fund	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	
Annuity fund		12,209.74	
Temporary funds for designated purposes....			20,000.00
Partial interest in property, written off.....	1.00		
Miscellaneous expenses		2,375.05	
	<u>\$ 20,001.00</u>	<u>\$ 34,584.79</u>	<u>\$ 20,000.00</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$196,993.51</u>	<u>\$140,844.25</u>	<u>\$ 56,673.54</u>
			Fire and Tornado Losses (Latin America, Etc.)
	Retirement Allowances	Group Insurance	
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 4,112.06	\$ 65,810.82	\$122,567.05
Add:			
Received from Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society.....			105.87
Income on investments (less \$97.45 write-down of premium on certain investments).....	3,203.08		
Interest credited to reserve.....	4,518.07	1,891.61	3,808.90
Contributions from Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board	4,999.98		
Transferred from:			
General fund	60,000.00		2,083.20
Reserve funds, reserve for losses on invest- ments	180,000.00		
Temporary funds for designated purposes....	2,996.48		3,957.23
	<u>\$259,829.67</u>	<u>\$ 67,702.43</u>	<u>\$182,522.25</u>
Deduct:			
Payments to beneficiaries under Group Insur- ance Plan		\$ 2,757.28	
Internal service charge.....	\$ 111.16		
Pension dues and allowances:			
Payments to Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board	55,818.54		
Payments to beneficiaries under Retirement Allowance Plan	45,782.96		
Fire loss and windstorm damages.....			\$ 1,750.00
	<u>\$101,712.66</u>	<u>\$ 2,757.28</u>	<u>\$ 1,750.00</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$158,117.01</u>	<u>\$ 64,945.15</u>	<u>\$180,772.25</u>
			Reserves for Losses on Investments
		Reserve Funds	Current (General) Fund
Balances, January 1, 1957.....		\$ 55,246.28	\$ 1,148.56
Add:			
Income on investments (less \$155.00 write-down of premiums on certain investments).....		20,322.90	
Net gain on disposal of investments.....		238,064.50	
		<u>\$313,633.68</u>	<u>\$ 1,148.56</u>
Deduct:			
Internal service charge.....		\$ 192.43	
Transferred to retirement allowance reserve fund.....		180,000.00	
		<u>\$180,192.43</u>	<u>—</u>
Balances, December 31, 1957.....		<u>\$133,441.25</u>	<u>\$ 1,148.56</u>

EXHIBIT A SUMMARY OF ALL FUNDS—RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

FUNDS AND PROPERTIES	Balances			
	Jan. 1, 1957	Receipts	Disbursements	Dec. 31, 1957
Permanent Funds	\$11,684,299.17	\$1,267,542.73	\$ 717,500.00	\$12,234,341.90
Annuity Fund	1,125,148.66	87,216.41	105,761.98	1,106,603.09
Special Trust Funds (Income Payable to Individual Beneficiaries)	283,393.61	20,152.72	19,839.91	283,706.42
Special Trust Funds (Income Payable to State Conventions and City Mission Societies)	3,055,654.52	201,067.53	201,067.53	3,055,654.52
Special Trust Fund (Income Payable to Negro Schools and Colleges)	831,617.83	37,020.20	36,979.15	831,658.88
Church Edifice Loan Fund	581,086.29	20,434.50	1,435.19	600,085.60
Special Church Edifice Loan Fund	1,277,332.83	69,577.39	3,597.28	1,343,312.94
Church Extension Reserve Fund	160,970.86	3,279.40	239.21	164,011.05
Emergency Church Edifice Reconstruction Fund	2,441.79	330.00	1,359.92	1,411.87
Church Edifice Fund—Clinton Fund No. 2	198,240.73	6,284.41	717.59	203,787.55
Churches for New Frontiers	2,278,922.76	257,585.76	6,191.90	2,530,316.62
Property and Equipment Funds	4,027,612.70	85,102.82	.....	4,112,715.52
CURRENT AND TEMPORARY FUNDS				
Designated Purposes	387,256.44	603,818.44	467,060.73	1,024,014.15
Arizona Baptist Promotion Committee	10,370.62	.....	.....	10,370.62
Reserve Funds	623,414.78	619,370.34	360,998.16	881,786.96
General Fund, Operating Budget	2,314.26	1,201,107.55	1,200,329.78	3,092.03
Totals	\$27,030,077.85	\$4,479,870.20	\$3,123,078.33	\$28,386,869.72

EXHIBIT B

**DETAILS OF GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES
UNDER THE BUDGET OF 1957**

CITIES	Salaries	Expenses
Co-operating with City Mission Societies:		
Brooklyn, N. Y.	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 500.00
Chicago, Ill.	3,450.00	
Cleveland, Ohio	1,000.00	500.00
Kansas City, Mo.	700.00	
Los Angeles, Calif.	2,250.00	
New York, N. Y.	1,200.00	1,204.36
Philadelphia, Pa.	300.00	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,295.00	300.00
Rochester, N. Y.	250.00	
San Francisco, Calif.	540.00	
	<u>\$12,985.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,504.36</u>
		\$ 15,489.36
Co-operating with State Conventions:		
Arizona	\$ 1,070.00	\$ 200.00
California—Northern	1,350.00	
California—Southern	700.00	
Connecticut	187.50	62.50
Illinois	253.34	
Iowa	1,300.00	
Kansas	660.00	
Massachusetts	260.00	
Michigan	912.50	
Nebraska	900.00	
New Jersey		13.39
Ohio	2,003.33	300.00
Pennsylvania	800.00	
Rhode Island	87.50	262.50
Washington	900.00	
West Virginia	1,320.00	
Wisconsin	1,040.00	
	<u>\$13,744.17</u>	<u>\$ 838.39</u>
		14,582.56
Field Workers:		
Field Representatives	\$25,200.00	\$13,300.26
		38,500.26

CHRISTIAN CENTERS AND JUVENILE PROTECTION

Christian Centers:	Salaries	Expenses	
Boston, Mass., Boston Baptist Bethel	\$ 1,750.00	\$ 400.00	
Boston, Mass., Heath	2,100.00	850.00	
Broderick, Calif.	600.00		
Brooklyn, N. Y., Emmanuel House.....	600.00	302.62	
Buffalo, N. Y., Emmanuel House	1,040.00	500.00	
Buffalo, N. Y., Hickory Street	1,550.00	500.00	
Camden, N. J.	337.50		
Campbell, Ohio	3,500.00	700.00	
Chicago, Ill., Englewood	2,000.00		
Chicago, Ill., South Chicago Neighborhood House.....	1,400.00		
Cleveland, Ohio.....	1,416.00		
Dayton, Ohio	2,150.00		
Denver, Colorado	1,640.00		
Detroit, Michigan, Friendship House.....	700.00		
Detroit, Mich., Gleiss Memorial	104.17		
Fresno, Calif.	600.00		
Hammond, Indiana, Brooks House	2,650.00	1,925.00	
Indianapolis, Ind., East Side and West Side	800.00	600.00	
Kansas City, Kansas, Bethel Neighborhood Center.....	2,200.00		
Los Angeles, Calif.		600.00	
Milwaukee, Wisconsin	1,784.00	600.00	
Minneapolis, Minn., William Axling Christian Center..	675.00	300.00	
Minneapolis, Minn., Park Christian Center	900.00		
Minneapolis, Minn., Grace Chapel.....	1,200.00	62.50	
Minneapolis, Minn., Wacouta.....		62.50	
Newark, N. J.	1,312.50	750.00	
New York, N. Y., Judson Neighborhood House.....	1,200.00		
New York, N. Y., Mariners Temple.....	2,250.00		
Peoria, Ill., Friendship House	650.00		
Philadelphia, Pa., Chinese	345.00		
Philadelphia, Pa., Baptist Community House	300.00		
Phoenix, Ariz.	1,900.00		
Pittsburgh, Pa., Rankin	2,200.00		
Sacramento, California, Lincoln	577.06		
Weirton, W. Va.	1,600.00		
Insurance		363.37	
	<u>\$44,031.23</u>	<u>\$ 8,515.99</u>	
			\$ 52,547.22
Juvenile Protection:			
Field Representatives	\$13,700.00	\$ 8,191.29	
Printing and Publicity		193.48	
Special Projects		3,980.50	
	<u>\$13,700.00</u>	<u>\$12,365.27</u>	
			26,065.27
Miscellaneous:			
Miscellaneous		\$ 4,621.28	
Insurance		779.80	
Moving		1,318.00	
Summer Workers	\$ 675.00	1,600.00	
Spanish American Seminary.....		2,000.00	
Printing and Publicity.....		1,418.57	
Transfer to Designated Fund		2,997.19	
	<u>\$ 675.00</u>	<u>\$14,734.84</u>	
			15,409.84
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 5,435.95	
Clerical Salaries	8,709.96		
	<u>\$17,109.96</u>	<u>\$ 5,435.95</u>	
			22,545.91
Total—Cities			<u>\$ 185,140.42</u>

TOWN AND COUNTRY

Directors:	Salaries	Expenses	
Directors	\$11,200.00	\$ 5,001.98	
Colorado	2,400.00	200.00	
Idaho	3,000.00	690.00	
Illinois	1,790.00	700.00	
Iowa	2,250.00	900.00	
Michigan	2,250.00	480.00	
Montana	2,800.00	650.00	
Nebraska	2,658.26	1,017.93	
Ohio	2,600.00	600.00	
Pennsylvania	2,700.00	750.00	
Washington	2,202.00	450.00	
	<u>\$35,850.26</u>	<u>\$11,439.91</u>	
			\$ 47,290.17
Missionary Pastors:			
Arizona	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 650.00	
Colorado	588.67		
Maine	500.00		
Minnesota	2,325.00	480.88	
Montana	1,853.75	1,250.00	
Nebraska	879.14		
Nevada—Sierra	7,145.84	1,826.70	
New Hampshire	900.00		
Ohio	1,686.17	8.10	
Utah	1,450.69		
Washington	1,539.00	150.00	
West Virginia	525.00	145.83	
Wyoming	4,542.75	624.75	
	<u>\$26,131.01</u>	<u>\$ 5,136.26</u>	
			31,267.27
Schools, Conferences and Literature:			
Rural Church Center, Green Lake, Wisc.		\$10,314.84	
			10,314.84
Interdenominational Work:			
Rural Church Institute.....		\$ 300.00	
Home Mission Council.....		1,914.30	
			2,214.30
Miscellaneous:			
Contingent and Miscellaneous	\$ 671.44	\$ 5,775.51	
Conferences		7,538.47	
Insurance		7.31	
Transfer to Designated Fund		1,969.58	
	<u>\$ 671.44</u>	<u>\$15,290.87</u>	
			15,962.31
Secretary—Salary and Expense.....	\$ 4,200.00*	\$ 2,119.91*	
Clerical Salaries	3,660.80		
	<u>\$ 7,860.80</u>	<u>\$ 2,119.91</u>	
			9,980.71
Total—Town and Country.....			<u>\$ 117,029.60</u>

EVANGELISM

Atlantic Area	\$ 5,200.00	\$ 686.43	
East-Central Area	5,200.00	476.21	
New England Area.....	4,500.00	1,686.51	
Pacific Area	3,899.97	1,311.63	
Plateau Area	5,200.00	1,220.50	
Tri-State Area	5,100.00	1,797.12	
West-Central Area	5,200.00	1,315.42	
Program Administration		1,300.00	
Youth Evangelism	5,000.00	1,101.20	
Evangelism among Children.....	4,675.08	2,407.42	
Conferences and Meetings.....		2,321.58	
State and Ecumenical Program Support.....		3,526.01	
Literature and Promotion.....		1,361.00	
Miscellaneous and Contingent.....		2,860.52	
Transfer to Designated Funds.....		1,407.50	
	<u>\$43,975.05</u>	<u>\$24,779.05</u>	
			\$ 68,754.10
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 4,200.00*	\$ 2,930.84	
Clerical Salaries	10,141.67	1,256.65	
	<u>\$14,341.67</u>	<u>\$ 4,187.49</u>	
			18,529.16
Total—Evangelism			<u>\$ 87,283.26</u>
*Apportioned			

LATIN AMERICA

Missions:	Salaries	Expenses	
Cuba	\$18,977.84	\$ 4,489.07	
El Salvador	11,830.73	3,138.86	
Haiti	18,179.84	4,533.30	
Mexico	15,660.40	4,699.84	
Nicaragua	14,545.31	6,304.69	
Puerto Rico	18,226.16	2,911.02	
Insurance		5,181.72	
Miscellaneous		12.95	
	<u>\$97,419.78</u>	<u>\$31,271.45</u>	
			\$ 128,691.23
Education:			
Cuba, Colegios Internacionales	\$ 5,910.00	\$ 7,860.00	
El Salvador	10,421.48	19.25	
Haiti	2,970.83	3,156.00	
Mexico	1,478.54	4,049.13	
Nicaragua	19,590.10	1,275.03	
Puerto Rico, Barranquitas Academy	8,434.17	2,085.70	
Puerto Rico, Evangelical Seminary, Rio Piedras	2,253.50		
	<u>\$51,058.62</u>	<u>\$18,445.11</u>	
			69,503.73
Medical Work:			
Haiti Dispensary	\$ 1,650.30	\$ 1,000.00	
Mexico, Hospital Latino Americano, Puebla.....	6,828.00	27.16	
Nicaragua, Hospital Bautista.....	5,640.00	10,970.00	
	<u>\$14,118.30</u>	<u>\$11,997.16</u>	
			26,115.46
Miscellaneous:			
Insurance and Surety Bonds.....		\$ 2,794.45	
Furloughs and Automobiles.....		18,506.68	
Repairs and Construction		8,885.96	
Contingent		15,826.39	
Transfer to Designated Fund.....		5,000.00	
			\$ 51,013.48
Secretary—Salary and Expense.....	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 2,338.52	
Clerical Salaries	3,775.20		
	<u>\$12,175.20</u>	<u>\$ 2,338.52</u>	
			14,513.72
Total—Latin America			\$ 289,837.62

EDIFICE FUNDS AND BUILDING COUNSEL

Building Counsel.....		\$ 2,473.49	
Fund Raising	\$ 3,011.83		
Secretary—Salary and Expense.....	4,200.00*	1,671.77*	
Clerical Salaries	7,167.39*		
Transfer to Designated Fund		118.43	
	<u>\$14,379.22</u>	<u>\$ 4,263.69</u>	
Less: Paid by Loan Funds.....	11,959.97		
	<u>\$ 2,419.25</u>	<u>\$ 4,263.69</u>	
Total—Edifice Funds and Building Counsel....			\$ 6,682.94

CHURCH EXTENSION

Co-operating with City Mission Societies:			
Brooklyn and Queens, N. Y.....	\$ 600.00		
Buffalo, N. Y.....	300.00		
Chicago, Ill.	1,112.50		
Cleveland, Ohio	2,175.00	\$ 360.00	
Detroit, Mich.	6,474.99		
Indianapolis, Ind.	960.00		
Philadelphia, Pa.	2,750.00		
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,280.00		
Rochester and Monroe County, N. Y.	400.00		
San Francisco Bay Cities, Calif.	6,420.00		
Twin City Baptist Union, Minn.....	800.00	300.00	
	<u>\$23,272.49</u>	<u>\$ 660.00</u>	
*Apportioned			\$ 23,932.49

Co-operating with State Conventions:		Salaries	Expenses	
Arizona		\$ 1,652.50		
California (Northern)		2,780.00		
California (Southern)		1,639.12		
Colorado		3,070.38		
Connecticut		400.00		
Delaware		200.00		
Hawaii		1,458.33	\$ 1,000.00	
Idaho		1,300.00		
Illinois		2,916.40		
Iowa		880.50		
Kansas		1,550.00	200.00	
Massachusetts		2,266.66		
Michigan		4,695.00		
Minnesota		3,314.00		
Missouri		750.00		
Montana		1,310.00		
Nebraska		1,000.00		
Nevada-Sierra		1,416.67		
New Jersey		2,560.00		
North Dakota		550.00	137.50	
Ohio		6,001.67		
Oregon		4,600.00		
Pennsylvania		2,300.00		
Rhode Island		266.68		
South Dakota		1,400.00	120.00	
Utah		2,895.82		
Washington		6,278.00		
Wisconsin		1,320.00		
Wyoming		1,200.00		
Transfer to Designated Fund (for Vermont)			600.00	
		<u>\$61,971.73</u>	<u>\$ 2,057.50</u>	
General Missionaries	\$12,000.00	\$ 4,762.75		\$ 64,029.23
Miscellaneous—Contingent		\$ 3,938.49		16,762.75
Transfer to Designated Fund		2,150.00		
				6,088.49
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 4,200.00*	\$ 1,671.70*		
Clerical Salaries	1,973.40*			
	<u>\$ 6,173.40</u>	<u>\$ 1,671.70</u>		
			7,845.10	
Total—Church Extension				<u>\$ 118,658.06</u>

CHRISTIAN MINISTRY TO SERVICE MEN

Co-operating with City Mission Societies:				
Pittsburgh, Pa.		\$ 225.00		
				\$ 225.00
Co-operating with State Conventions:				
California—Southern	\$ 2,475.00			
Colorado	600.00			
Hawaii	375.00	\$ 1,000.00		
Illinois	1,380.00	150.00		
Maine	600.00	600.00		
Massachusetts	1,500.00			
New Hampshire	1,650.00			
Rhode Island	630.00			
Washington		333.33		
	<u>\$ 9,210.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,083.33</u>		
Miscellaneous:				\$ 11,293.33
Literature		\$ 7,104.31		
General Commission on Chaplains		9,879.51		
Service Personnel Center—Far East		6,000.00		
National Service Board for Religious Objectors		500.00		
Field Worker	\$ 6,000.00	1,481.05		
Endorsing Chaplains		154.34		
Conferences		206.84		
Chaplains' Retreat		1,085.04		
Chaplains' Relocation	2,100.00			
Miscellaneous		2,405.68		
Transfer to Designated Fund		1,075.00		
	<u>\$ 8,100.00</u>	<u>\$29,891.77</u>		
			37,991.77	
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 4,200.00*	\$ 1,211.61*		
Clerical Salaries	2,889.66			
	<u>\$ 7,089.66</u>	<u>\$ 1,211.61</u>		
			8,301.27	
Total—Christian Ministry to Service Men				<u>\$ 57,811.37</u>

*Apportioned

HOMES AND HOSPITALS

	Salaries	Expenses	
Field Work		\$ 3,775.87	
Transfer to Designated Funds		387.18	
		<u> </u>	\$ 4,163.05
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 5,907.13	
Clerical Salaries	3,298.88		
	<u>11,698.88</u>	<u>5,907.13</u>	
			17,606.01
Total—Homes and Hospitals			<u>\$ 21,769.06</u>

MISCELLANEOUS

Transfer to Reserve Funds:

Retirement Allowance	\$60,000.00	
Insurance Reserve	2,000.00	
Transfer to Designated Fund	25,000.00	
Associated Home Mission Agencies	2,025.22	
Division of Home Missions—N.C.C.C.A.	3,000.00	
Division of Home Missions—Research	2,400.00	
John Milton Society	300.00	
Social Security	2,707.36	
Middlers Conference—Green Lake	891.95	
Miscellaneous	55.95	
Total—Miscellaneous		<u>\$ 98,380.48</u>

ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL EXPENSES

General Administration:

Headquarters office:			
Executive Secretary	\$ 5,111.10	\$ 875.21	
Clerical Salaries	25,825.01		
Associated Hospital Service		1,219.48	
Office Furniture and Fixtures		3,000.00	
Postage		5,336.15	
Supplies, equipment and general expenses		9,098.72	
Telegrams		687.73	
Telephone		5,001.21	
	<u>\$30,936.11</u>	<u>\$25,218.50</u>	
			\$ 56,154.61

Finance Department:

Treasurer	\$ 6,567.80	\$ 1,236.99	
Assistant Treasurer	7,400.00		
Clerical Salaries	29,978.71		
Audit		2,500.00	
Custodianship service		2,419.59	
Legal Expense		2,785.00	
Investment service		2,500.00	
Contingent		208.80	
	<u>\$43,946.51</u>	<u>\$12,650.38</u>	
			\$ 56,596.89

Miscellaneous:

Board and Committee Meetings	\$10,912.08		
Convention expenses	5,628.11		
Contingent, etc.	991.11		
	<u> </u>		17,531.30
Interest on internal demand loans.....			4,000.00

	Salaries	Expenses
Maintenance and Operation of 164-166 Fifth Ave:		
Air Conditioning Units		678.27
Electricity		1,991.58
Elevator Service		475.88
Heat		506.16
Insurance		2,888.34
Interest and Amortization of Investment.....		11,988.00
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expenses.....		1,059.63
Salaries	\$ 3,458.84	
Service and Repairs		641.06
Watchman		72.00
Window Cleaning		454.50
Water and Sewer Tax.....		76.20
Contingent		20.48
		<u>\$20,852.10</u>
Less: Charged to other departments		1,900.00
	<u>\$ 3,458.84</u>	<u>\$18,952.10</u>
		22,410.94
Total—Administration and General Expenses..		<u><u>\$ 156,693.74</u></u>

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Conferences—Green Lake	\$ 385.67	
Other Conferences	154.07	
Missionaries to Green Lake	584.82	
Exhibit at Green Lake	220.00	
Broadcasting and Films	150.00	
Home Mission Division—National Council	400.00	
Miscellaneous	1,451.38	
Transfer to Designated Funds	659.56	
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 8,400.00	5,749.79
Clerical Salaries	5,976.10	
Field Representatives	14,200.00	6,067.13
	<u>\$28,576.10</u>	<u>\$15,822.42</u>
Total—Public Relations		<u><u>\$ 44,398.52</u></u>

ENLISTING MISSIONARIES

Literature and Mailing.....	\$ 1,183.82	
Student Volunteer Movement	400.00	
Miscellaneous and Contingent	1.68	
Transfer to Designated Funds	291.52	
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 8,400.00	3,231.05
Clerical Salaries	3,136.64	
	<u>\$11,536.64</u>	<u>\$ 5,108.07</u>
Total—Enlisting Missionaries		<u><u>\$ 16,644.71</u></u>
Total Expenditures—General Fund		<u><u>\$1,200,329.78</u></u>

EXHIBIT C
DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES
TEMPORARY FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES

CITIES			
Co-operating with City Mission Societies:		Salaries	Expenses
New York, N. Y.....			\$ 555.00
Philadelphia, Pa.			5.00
San Francisco, Calif.	\$ 600.00		500.00
	<u>\$ 600.00</u>		<u>\$1,060.00</u>
Co-operating with State Conventions:			\$ 1,660.00
Arizona	\$ 360.00		
California—Northern			\$ 5.00
California—Southern			1,176.62
Kansas			21.21
Wisconsin			5.00
	<u>\$ 360.00</u>		<u>\$ 1,207.83</u>
			1,567.83
Christian Centers:			
Brooklyn, N. Y., Emmanuel House.....	\$ 197.38		
Campbell, Ohio—Addition to the Properties.....			\$ 3,500.00
Hammond, Indiana, Brooks House.....			101.03
Kansas City, Kansas—Bethel Center—Addition to Properties			800.00
Locke, Calif.	465.00		3.66
Peoria, Illinois—Friendship House			3.75
Peoria, Illinois—Addition to the Properties.....			5,000.00
Phoenix, Arizona, Valley Christian Center.....	2,649.98		1,300.00
Pittsburgh, Pa., Rankin.....			1,006.00
Sacramento, Calif., Lincoln.....	2,170.00		
Sacramento, Calif.—Addition to the Properties.....			6,000.00
Weirton, W. Va.			85.00
	<u>\$ 5,482.36</u>		<u>\$17,799.44</u>
			23,281.80
Miscellaneous:			
Spanish American Seminary, Los Angeles, Calif.....	\$ 4,100.04		\$ 9,226.72
Spanish American Seminary, Los Angeles, Calif.—Addition to Properties.....			20,000.00
Urban Convocation			8,860.06
Arizona Convention for Valley Christian Center Renovation			4,100.00
New York City Society for Mariners Temple Repairs....			874.50
National Baptist Convention—“Bombed Churches Offering”			1,000.00
Chicago Negro Ministry Study.....			573.43
Miscellaneous			474.00
	<u>\$ 4,100.04</u>		<u>\$45,098.71</u>
			49,198.75
Total—Cities			<u>\$ 75,708.38</u>

TOWN AND COUNTRY

Missionary Pastors:			
Idaho	\$ 5,535.00		\$ 934.37
Montana	781.25		
New York	4,923.32		171.50
North Dakota	3,280.00		
Oregon	1,080.00		
South Dakota	1,800.00		250.00
Wisconsin			36.50
	<u>\$17,399.57</u>		<u>\$ 1,392.37</u>
			\$ 18,791.94
Colporters:			
Colorado	\$ 2,480.00		\$ 1,277.26
Utah	2,426.61		
Miscellaneous			654.84
	<u>\$ 4,906.61</u>		<u>\$ 1,932.10</u>
			6,838.71

	Salaries	Expenses	
Indian Work:			
Minnesota		\$ 8.87	
Montana		400.00	
Oklahoma		302.00	
Migrant Work		1,043.00	
Miscellaneous		25.50	
			1,779.37
Bacone College, Bacone, Oklahoma		\$14,723.04	
Murrow Children's Home, Okla.....		3,940.48	
			18,663.52
Rural Church Center, Green Lake, Wisc.....	\$ 2,380.68	\$ 70.46	
			2,451.14
Total—Town and Country.....			\$ 48,524.68

EVANGELISM

Evangelist Fund		\$ 94.42	
Atlantic Area		147.32	
Pacific Area		276.47	
Plateau Area		84.74	
Tri-State Area		130.78	
West Central Area.....		109.60	
Youth Evangelism		147.50	
Evangelism Among Children.....		243.35	
Jewish Evangelism		5.00	
Evangelistic Conferences		525.00	
Literature		300.00	
Yoke Pins		339.91	
Colorado		304.29	
Michigan		400.00	
North Dakota		1,324.80	
Oregon		75.00	
South Dakota	\$ 1,200.00	150.00	
Wisconsin		400.00	
	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 5,058.18	
			\$ 6,258.18
Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 4,200.00*	\$ 1,000.00	
	\$ 4,200.00	\$ 1,000.00	
			5,200.00
Total—Evangelism			\$ 11,458.18

LATIN AMERICA

Missions:			
Cuba		\$ 1,673.45	
Cuba, Purchase of Property.....		5,000.00	
El Salvador	\$ 710.67	3,000.61	
Haiti	2,740.00	35,477.29	
Jamaica		1,000.00	
Mexico		4,301.69	
Nicaragua		1,713.50	
Puerto Rico		1,467.68	
Puerto Rico, Purchase of Property.....		600.00	
	\$ 3,450.67	\$54,234.22	
			\$ 57,684.89
Education:			
Cuba		\$ 3,617.48	
Cuba, Purchase of Property.....		5,860.00	
El Salvador		14,576.21	
El Salvador, Building of Boys' Dormitory.....		7,683.72	
Mexico		1,120.96	
Nicaragua		5,230.15	
Nicaragua, Installing Water System.....		11,000.00	
Puerto Rico		586.05	
			49,674.57
Total—Latin America			\$ 107,359.46

*Apportioned

CHURCH EDIFICE WORK

	Salaries	Expenses
Loans to Churches.....		\$83,137.49
Total—Church Edifice Work.....		\$ 83,137.49

CHURCH EXTENSION WORK

City Mission Societies:		
Chicago	\$ 450.00	
Detroit	287.50	
Pittsburgh	291.67	
San Francisco	450.00	
		\$ 1,479.17
State Conventions:		
Arizona	\$ 202.50	
California—Northern	1,400.00	
Delaware	150.00	
Hawaii		\$ 700.00
Michigan	675.00	
North Dakota	275.00	
Ohio	125.00	
Washington	680.00	
	\$ 3,507.50	\$ 700.00
		4,207.50
Missouri, Des Peres Baptist Church.....	\$15,676.22	
Literature	235.95	
		15,912.17
Total—Church Extension Work.....		\$ 21,598.84

CHRISTIAN MINISTRY TO SERVICE MEN

Literature	\$ 1,514.02
Cross & Bible Insignia Pins.....	1,773.75
Total—Christian Ministry to Service Men.....	\$ 3,287.77

HOMES AND HOSPITALS

Literature	\$ 298.25
Miscellaneous	25.00
Total—Homes and Hospitals.....	\$ 323.25

ENLISTING MISSIONARIES

Literature	\$ 490.00
Total—Enlisting Missionaries	\$ 490.00

OTHER DISBURSEMENTS

Payments from income for special purposes.....	\$36,852.63
Associated Home Mission Agencies.....	14,391.78
Transfer to Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society	2,579.21
Fire and Storm losses and car accidents.....	739.04
Committee on Strategy, Policy and Program	3,668.13
Rent 166 Fifth Avenue.....	3,000.00
125th Anniversary	13,559.47
Office Equipment	4,830.43
Spanish American Campaign Fund.....	868.22
Miscellaneous	4,935.04
	\$ 85,423.95

TRANSFERRED TO OTHER FUNDS

Churches for New Frontiers Fund.....	\$10,059.64
General Fund	1,227.06
Permanent Funds	3,355.59
Reserve Fund	3,957.23
Special Church Edifice Loan Fund	4,000.00
Retirement Allowance Reserve Fund	2,170.14
General Fund—Surplus Account.....	7,785.47
	\$ 32,555.13

WORLD MISSION CRUSADE

Arizona, Poston Community Baptist Church.....	\$ 1,434.50
El Salvador, Boys' Dormitory and Missionary Residence	8,723.40
Haiti, Limbe Seminary	1,100.00
Haiti, Cap Haitien—Missionary Residence.....	10,550.00
Nicaragua, Electric Service in Seminary.....	335.70
Puerto Rico, Medina, Alta-Baptist Church.....	50.00
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Total—World Mission Crusade.....	\$ 22,193.60
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Total—Expenditures—Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes	\$ 442,060.73
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EXHIBIT D

Income and Expenditures under Regular Budget for 1957

Income	Budget Expectations	Income	More than Expectations	Less than Expectations
Non-Donation Sources:				
Income from Investments.....	\$ 400,000.00	\$ 457,155.58	\$ 57,155.58	
Legacies	20,000.00	20,000.00		
Matured Special Gift Agreements (Net).....	20,000.00	20,000.00		
Income from Other Sources (Net).....	1,610.00	7,426.04	5,816.04	
Income from other Organizations for joint administration	3,958.00	8,194.20	4,236.20	
Real Estate and Mortgage Division (Net)	10,000.00	11,569.47	1,569.47	
Donation Sources:				
From Churches and Individuals, etc.....	668,906.00	668,357.67		\$ 548.33
Total Budget Income.....	\$1,124,474.00	\$1,192,702.96	\$ 68,228.96	
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Expenditures	Budget Estimate	Expenditures	More than Estimate	Less than Estimate
Cities:				
Co-operating with City Mission Societies.....	\$ 10,200.00	\$ 15,489.36	\$ 5,289.36	
Co-operating with State Conventions.....	11,200.00	14,582.56	3,382.56	
Field Workers	35,200.00	38,500.26	3,300.26	
Christian Centers	49,850.00	52,547.22	2,697.22	
Juvenile Protection	28,200.00	26,065.27		\$ 2,134.73
Spanish-American Baptist Seminary.....	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Miscellaneous	9,650.00	13,409.84	3,759.84	
Salaries and Expenses	18,200.00	22,545.91	4,345.91	
Total	\$ 164,500.00	\$ 185,140.42	\$ 20,640.42	
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Town and Country:				
Missionary Pastors	\$ 31,000.00	\$ 31,267.27	\$ 267.27	
Directors	39,300.00	47,290.17	7,990.17	
Schools, Conferences, Literature.....	20,600.00	10,314.84		\$ 10,285.16
Interdenominational work	1,500.00	2,214.30	714.30	
Miscellaneous	6,800.00	15,962.31	9,162.31	
Salaries and Expenses.....	8,900.00	9,980.71	1,080.71	
Total	\$ 108,100.00	\$ 117,029.60	\$ 8,929.60	
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Evangelism:				
Field Work	\$ 67,350.00	\$ 68,754.10	\$ 1,404.10	
Salaries and Expenses.....	9,900.00*	18,529.16*	8,629.16	
Total	\$ 77,250.00	\$ 87,283.26	\$ 10,033.26	
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Latin America:				
Missions	\$ 104,830.00	\$ 128,691.23	\$ 23,861.23	
Education	86,700.00	69,503.73		\$ 17,196.27
Medical	27,720.00	26,115.46		1,604.54
Miscellaneous	54,373.00	51,013.48		3,359.52
Salaries and Expenses.....	14,800.00	14,513.72		286.28
Total	\$ 288,423.00	\$ 289,837.62	\$ 1,414.62	
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Christian Ministry to Service Men.....	\$ 50,600.00	\$ 49,510.10		\$ 1,089.90
Salaries and Expenses.....	8,400.00	8,301.27		98.73
Total	\$ 59,000.00	\$ 57,811.37		\$ 1,188.63

*Apportioned

Expenditures	Budget Estimate	Expenditures	More than Estimate	Less than Estimate
Edifice Funds and Building Counsel:				
Edifice Funds and Fund Raising.....	\$ 20,975.00	\$ 5,603.75		\$ 15,371.25
Salaries and Expenses	13,100.00*	13,039.16*		60.84
	\$ 34,075.00	\$ 18,642.91		\$ 15,432.09
Less paid by loan funds	27,575.00	11,959.97	\$ 15,615.03	
Total	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,682.94	\$ 182.94	
Church Extension				
	\$ 110,800.00	\$ 110,812.96	\$ 12.96	
Salaries and Expenses.....	7,200.00*	7,845.10*	645.10	
Total	\$ 118,000.00	\$ 118,658.06	\$ 658.06	
Homes and Hospitals:				
Field Work	\$ 7,650.00	\$ 4,163.05		\$ 3,486.95
Salaries and Expenses.....	13,600.00	17,606.01	\$ 4,006.01	
Total	\$ 21,250.00	\$ 21,769.06	\$ 519.06	
Public Relations:				
Conferences, etc.—Green Lake, Wisc.....	\$ 1,375.00	\$ 1,345.56		\$ 29.44
Miscellaneous	1,500.00	2,509.94	\$ 1,009.94	
Salaries and Expenses	14,925.00	20,125.89	5,200.89	
Special Deputation	200.00	150.00		50.00
Total	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 24,131.39	\$ 6,131.39	
Western Representative	\$ 9,100.00	\$ 10,195.09	\$ 1,095.09	
Mid-Western Representative	9,100.00	10,072.04	972.04	
Total	\$ 18,200.00	\$ 20,267.13	\$ 2,067.13	
Enlisting Missionaries:				
Literature, etc.	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 1,877.02		\$ 522.98
Salaries and Expenses	13,600.00	14,767.69	\$ 1,167.69	
Total	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,644.71	\$ 644.71	
Miscellaneous:				
Social Security Taxes	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,707.36	\$ 707.36	
Transfer to:				
Retirement Allowance Reserve Fund.....	60,000.00	60,000.00		
Transfer to Designated Fund.....		25,000.00	25,000.00	
Insurance Reserve	2,000.00	2,000.00		
National Council of Churches	4,375.00	3,000.00		\$ 1,375.00
Division of Home Mission Research.....	2,400.00	2,400.00		
John Milton Society	300.00	300.00		
Negro Colleges—Insurance	1,500.00	1,963.41**		3,463.41
Associated Baptist Home Mission Agencies	1,800.00	2,025.22	225.22	
Middlers Conferences—Green Lake, Wisc....	810.00	891.95	81.95	
Medical Expenses	500.00			500.00
Miscellaneous		55.95	55.95	
Total	\$ 75,685.00	\$ 96,417.07	\$ 20,732.07	
Administration and General Expenses:				
General Administration:				
Headquarters Office:				
Executive Secretary—Salary and Expenses	\$ 11,700.00	\$ 5,986.31		\$ 5,713.69
Clerical salaries	22,000.00	25,825.01	\$ 3,825.01	
Postage	6,000.00	5,336.15		663.85
Telephone	3,500.00	5,001.21	1,501.21	
Telegrams	625.00	687.73	62.73	
Supplies, equipment, etc.....	7,500.00	9,098.72	1,598.72	
Office furniture and fixtures.....	3,000.00	3,000.00		
Health and Hospital dues.....	1,500.00	1,219.48		280.52
Total	\$ 55,825.00	\$ 56,154.61	\$ 329.61	

*Apportioned

**Deduct

Expenditures	Budget Estimate	Expenditures	More than Estimate	Less than Estimate
Finance Department:				
Treasurer—Salary and Expenses	\$ 10,450.00	\$ 7,804.79		\$ 2,645.21
Assistant Treasurer	7,400.00	7,400.00		
Clerical Salaries	30,000.00	29,978.71		21.29
Audit	3,500.00	3,500.00		
Custodian Service	2,500.00	2,419.59		80.41
Legal Expenses	4,200.00	2,785.00		1,415.00
Surety Bonds	250.00			250.00
Investment Service	2,500.00	2,500.00		
Contingent, etc.	200.00	208.80	\$ 8.80	
Total	\$ 61,000.00	\$ 56,596.89		\$ 4,403.11
Miscellaneous:				
Board and Committee Meetings.....	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,912.08	\$ 912.08	
Convention Expense	2,000.00	5,628.11	3,628.11	
Contingent	1,741.00	991.11		\$ 749.89
	\$ 13,741.00	\$ 17,531.30	\$ 3,790.30	
Interest on internal demand loans.....	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,000.00		
Total—Administration and General Expenses	\$ 134,566.00	\$ 134,282.80		\$ 283.20
Maintenance and Operation of				
164 Fifth Avenue (Net)	\$ 19,000.00	\$ 22,410.94	\$ 3,410.94	
Total Budget Expenditures	\$1,124,474.00	\$1,198,366.37	\$ 73,892.37	
Budget Expectation for Year.....			\$1,124,474.00	
Budget Income for Year (Net).....			1,192,702.96	
Income more than expectation.....				\$ 68,228.96
Budget Estimate for Year.....			\$1,124,474.00	
Budget Expenditure for Year (Net).....			1,198,366.37	
Expenditures more than estimate.....				73,892.37
Excess of Expenditures over Income.....				\$ 5,663.41
Surplus January 1, 1957.....		\$ 2,314.26		
Adjustments during Year.....		6,441.18		8,755.44
Surplus December 31, 1957.....				\$ 3,092.03

EXHIBIT E
LEGACIES
FOR GENERAL PURPOSES

CALIFORNIA	
Colby, Blaine N.—Riverside.....	\$ 756.64
CONNECTICUT	
Browning, Polly—Uncasville	12.25
Twiss, Waldo C.—Meriden	40.77
Wooster, Mary McC.—Saybrook	1,032.90
ILLINOIS	
First, Frank H.—Rock Island.....	8,230.63
Collins, Joseph H.—Springfield.....	12,386.19
MAINE	
Pearson, Lilla H.—Morrill	47.85
Russell, Susan V.....	1,000.00
MASSACHUSETTS	
Elwell, Mary—Newburyport	25.00
Fiske, Peter—Woburn	550.00
Gifford, Laura A.—Monterey	57.97
Goodhue, Maria—Danvers	339.16
Leonard, Nellie M.—Manchester.....	500.00
Price, Joseph—Salem	919.00
Ward, Chloe—Tyringham	35.00
Whittredge, Mary L.—Lawrence.....	10.53
MICHIGAN	
McCall, John S.—Kalamazoo.....	688.00
Merritt, Susan L.—Detroit	32.85
MINNESOTA	
Lane, Luther—Medford	10.00
NEW HAMPSHIRE	
Sanborn, Asahel—Laconia	37.44
NEW JERSEY	
Stiles, Mabel A.—Woodbury.....	1,000.00
NEW YORK	
Hardy, Pearl—Canisteo	5,025.00
Hathaway, Anna—Hudson	100.00
Inman, William H.—Claredon	454.26
McCrary, Ordella—Elba .....	.36
Porter, Adeline G.—Albion.....	89.08
Proctor, Margaret W.—Brooklyn.....	1.29
OHIO	
Mason, Mary—Marietta	115.33
PENNSYLVANIA	
Benson, Ann K.—Allegheny City.....	89.42
Davis, Thomas—Tamaqua	23.74
Shupe, Walter—Saltsburg	15.44
RHODE ISLAND	
Lee, Oscar F.—Providence	76.94
VERMONT	
Brough, Edith G.—St. Albans.....	200.00
RECEIVED THROUGH AMERICAN BAPTIST CONVENTION	
Braman, Martha J.....	11.68
Ostholm, Elizabeth	2.88*
Yaisle, Jacob	38.66
\$33,950.50	
FOR DESIGNATED FUNDS	
MAINE	
Ridley, Joseph—Springvale	\$ 20.00
NEBRASKA	
Vasholz, Lydia M.—Fremont.....	3,000.00
NEW JERSEY	
Coles, J. Ackerman—Scotch Plains.....	2,935.30
\$ 5,955.30	
FOR PERMANENT FUNDS	
CALIFORNIA	
Merriam, Mary W.—Alhambra.....	\$ 1,000.00
NEW YORK	
Hardy, Pearl—Canisteo	\$ 5,025.00
Snell, Mary P.—Black River.....	88.64
OKLAHOMA	
Hubbard, Madge F.—Muskogee.....	10,164.53
\$16,278.17	

*Deduct

EXHIBIT F SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS PERMANENT FUNDS

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government and Municipal Bonds:					
\$ 25,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/2/58	.....	\$ 24,788.54	\$ 24,788.54
65,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	64,685.74	64,685.74
1,000.00	*United States Treasury.....	12/1972	2½	991.87	993.18
29,150.00	United States Savings, Series "G".....	10/1/58	2½	29,150.00	28,741.90
25,000.00	Province of Ontario, Canada, External.....	1971	3¼	25,063.75	23,500.00
				<u>\$144,679.90</u>	<u>\$142,649.31</u>
Railroad Bonds:					
75,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co. 1st. Cons. Mtge., Series "C".....	1995	4¼	\$ 71,588.25	\$ 54,987.50
24,000.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. "E".....	1996	3½	23,880.00	21,240.00
4,000.00	Chicago & Erie R.R. Co., First Mtg.....	1982	5	4,000.00	4,200.00
39,900.00	*Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "A".....	1994	4	21,727.05	31,521.00
39,800.00	*Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific R.R. Co., Gen. Mtg. Series "A".....	2019	4½	21,671.90	27,511.75
22,200.00	*Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific R.R. Co., Gen. Mtg. Conv. Series "B"....	2044	4½	12,051.72	11,155.50
75,000.00	Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R.R. Co. Income Deb.	1995	4½	76,406.25	60,750.00
10,000.00	Detroit Terminal & Tunnel Co., First Mtg.	1961	4½	10,087.50	9,800.00
25,000.00	Great Northern Ry. Co., Gen. Mtg. "L"....	1976	4½	22,750.00	24,843.75
25,000.00	Lexington & Eastern Ry. Co., First Mtg.	1965	5	29,456.25	25,500.00
50,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. "B"....	1990	4¼	49,875.00	33,312.50
50,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. "C"....	2005	4¼	49,875.00	32,500.00
50,000.00	New Jersey Junction R.R. Co., First Mtg.	1986	4	43,250.00	33,000.00
2,750.00	New York Central R.R. Co. Collateral Trust	1980	6	2,291.67	2,200.00
80,000.00	New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R. Co., Income Deb.	1989	4½	80,648.53	66,400.00
6,000.00	New York, Lackawanna & Western Ry. Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg. Series "A".....	1973	4	6,000.00	3,000.00
35,000.00	Northern Pacific Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. Series "A".....	2047	4½	33,693.75	29,750.00
25,000.00	Pennsylvania R.R. Co., Gen. Mtg. Series "A".....	1965	4½	25,293.75	23,593.75
60,000.00	West Shore R.R. Co., First Mtg.....	2361	4	58,225.00	30,600.00
11,000.00	*West Shore R.R. Co., First Mtg.....	2361	4	11,000.00	5,610.00
67,500.00	*Wisconsin Central R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "A".....	2004	4	45,028.00	38,306.25
				<u>\$698,799.62</u>	<u>\$569,732.00</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
25,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co. Deb.	1973	3¾	\$ 25,888.02	\$ 24,625.00
79,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1980	2¾	75,010.00	62,532.50
30,000.00	Arkansas Power & Light Co., First Mtg.	1974	3½	30,925.00	26,700.00
2,000.00	*Blackstone Valley Gas & Electric Co., First Mtg. and Collateral Trust.....	1973	3	1,970.00	1,760.00
25,000.00	Central Maine Power Co., First & Gen. Mtg. "L".....	1970	3½	26,369.16	23,000.00
47,000.00	Central New York Power Co., General Mtg.	1974	3	47,251.72	43,005.00
25,000.00	*Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., First Mtg.	1986	3¾	26,359.27	21,781.25
50,000.00	Columbia Gas System, Deb. "G".....	1981	4¾	51,078.00	51,750.00
75,000.00	Columbia Gas System, Deb. "H".....	1982	5½	76,001.80	80,812.50
58,000.00	*Columbus & Southern Ohio Electric Co., First Mtg.	1970	3¼	59,767.80	52,490.00
121,000.00	Commonwealth Edison Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	1999	3	121,393.15	99,522.50
25,000.00	Consolidated Edison Company of New York, First & Rfdg. Series "B".....	1977	2½	25,084.81	21,375.00
15,000.00	Consolidated Edison Company of New York, First & Rfdg. Series "G".....	1981	3¼	15,258.75	13,950.00
37,000.00	*Consumers Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2¾	38,308.40	33,762.50
25,000.00	*Detroit Edison Co., Gen. & Rfdg. Series "K".....	1976	3¾	25,950.54	22,500.00

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
\$ 75,000.00	Florida Power & Light Co., First Mtg.....	1987	4½	\$ 76,475.00	\$ 78,750.00
15,000.00	Gatineau Power Co., First Mtg. Series "C".....	1970	3	15,093.20	13,200.00
49,000.00	Gulf Power Co., First Mtg.....	1971	3½	50,583.85	42,630.00
25,000.00	Gulf States Utilities Co., First Mtg.....	1981	3½	25,360.00	22,750.00
1,000.00	Laclede Gas Light Co., "C" Script Ctf.....	1953	5½	1.00	No Market
80,000.00	Laclede Gas Light Co., First Mtg.....	1965	3½	80,769.44	75,600.00
75,000.00	Long Island Lighting Co., First Mtg. Series "I"	1986	4½	75,735.50	78,750.00
25,000.00	Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., First Mtg.....	1975	3	24,062.50	21,000.00
100,000.00	*Minnesota Power & Light Co., First Mtg.....	1975	3½	104,784.95	85,000.00
40,000.00	Montana Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2½	41,208.19	32,800.00
1,000.00	*Narragansett Electric Co., First Mtg. Series "A"	1974	3	1,010.95	840.00
25,000.00	New Jersey Bell Tel. Co., Deb.....	1984	3½	25,598.75	20,500.00
75,000.00	New York State Electric & Gas Co., First Mtg.	1987	4½	76,406.25	75,000.00
25,000.00	New York Telephone Co., Rfdg. Series "F".....	1981	3	25,000.00	22,125.00
75,000.00	Northern States Power Co., First Mtg.....	1982	3½	75,699.75	65,250.00
35,000.00	Ohio Power Co., First Mtg.....	1968	3½	36,382.50	34,037.50
14,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M"	1979	3	15,256.24	12,670.00
17,000.00	Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb....	1986	2½	17,639.20	13,493.75
51,000.00	Pennsylvania Electric Co., First Mtg.....	1972	3½	53,315.28	43,350.00
80,000.00	Pennsylvania Power & Light Co., First Mtg.	1975	3	82,338.34	72,000.00
20,000.00	Pennsylvania Water & Power Co., Rfdg. & Coll. Trust.....	1964	3½	20,204.24	19,400.00
1,000.00	*Philadelphia Electric Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg.	1967	2½	996.25	950.00
25,000.00	Philadelphia Electric Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg.	1982	3½	25,659.00	22,750.00
70,000.00	Potomac Electric & Power Co., First Mtg.....	1990	3½	72,291.05	58,800.00
5,000.00	Potomac Electric & Power Co., First Mtg.....	1991	3½	5,052.30	4,500.00
25,000.00	*Public Service Co. of Indiana, First Mtg.....	1975	3½	24,937.50	21,750.00
30,000.00	Public Service Electric & Gas Co., First Rfdg. Mtg.	2037	8	68,361.76	49,237.50
40,000.00	Public Service Co. of New Hampshire, First Mtg. Series "A"	1973	3½	41,405.23	35,200.00
35,000.00	South Carolina Power Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg.	1975	3	35,584.24	30,100.00
88,000.00	Southern California Edison Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg.	1965	3	89,212.00	84,480.00
2,000.00	Southern California Gas Co., First Mtg.....	1970	3½	2,052.00	1,900.00
18,750.00	Southern California Gas Co., First Mtg. Series "A"	1982	3½	19,285.91	17,062.50
20,000.00	Union Electric Co. of Missouri, First Col- lateral Trust	1971	3½	21,123.34	19,425.00
1,000.00	*Union Electric Co. of Missouri, First Mtg. & Collateral Trust.....	1975	2½	970.00	880.00
25,000.00	*Virginia Electric & Power Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "I"	1981	3½	25,913.80	22,500.00
50,000.00	Wisconsin Power & Light Co., First Mtg. Series "A"	1971	3½	51,711.36	43,000.00
				\$2,058,466.16	\$1,827,247.50
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 25,000.00	Aluminum Co. of America, Sinking Fund Deb.	1964	3½	\$ 25,327.50	\$ 24,562.50
70,000.00	Aluminium Co. of Canada, Deb.....	1970	3½	73,193.04	70,437.50
25,000.00	Bethlehem Steel Corp., Sinking Fund Con- "I"	1970	2½	24,062.50	22,875.00
89,000.00	Celanese Corp. of America, Deb.....	1965	3	90,757.17	76,540.00
21,000.00	Champion Paper & Fiber Co. Deb.....	1965	3	21,318.45	18,900.00
25,000.00	C.I.T. Financial Corp., Deb.....	1959	2½	24,906.25	24,625.00
27,000.00	*Cities Service Co. Deb.....	1977	3	26,527.50	24,030.00
49,000.00	Continental Baking Co., 20 Yr. Deb.....	1965	3	49,842.44	44,590.00
16,500.00	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Deb.....	1977	3½	16,757.40	15,180.00
25,000.00	General Foods Corp., Deb.....	1976	3½	25,798.90	23,750.00
2,000.00	*General Motors Corp., Deb.....	1979	3½	2,066.50	1,950.00
75,000.00	General Motors Acceptance Corp., Deb.....	1972	3½	77,156.25	72,937.50
23,000.00	Inland Steel Co., First Mtg. Series "I"....	1982	\$3.20	23,113.67	20,470.00
2,000.00	*National Dairy Products Corp., Deb.....	1970	2½	2,005.97	1,810.00
52,500.00	Pittsburgh Consolidated Coal Co., Deb.....	1965	3½	53,175.78	48,365.63
7,500.00	Service Pipe Line Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	1982	\$3.20	7,568.91	6,900.00
45,000.00	Sinclair Oil Corp., Conv. Deb.....	1986	4½	45,049.49	47,925.00
				\$588,627.72	\$545,848.13

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

Shares	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at
					Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Shares	Preferred Stocks:				
640	American Bank Note Co.....	6		\$ 49,804.03	\$ 36,800.00
476	American Metal Co. Ltd.....	4½		49,659.00	43,792.00
270	American Smelting & Refining Co.....	7		39,489.15	41,040.00
2,000	American Sugar Refining Co.....	7		59,960.00	64,750.00
5,500	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R.R.....	5		54,772.75	50,187.50
115	*Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R.R.....			1,331.23	1,049.38
10	Baltimore Gas & Electric Co. "B".....	4½		1,101.45	980.00
475	Bell & Howell Co.....	4¼		49,501.87	40,968.75
55	California Electric Power Co.....	3		3,347.63	3,135.00
735	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.....	5		65,768.22	76,899.38
517	Crown Zellerbach Corp.....	\$4.20		51,056.55	50,924.50
1,250	Deere & Company.....	7		40,918.33	38,125.00
28	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.....	4½		2,789.39	2,842.00
500	Florida Power & Light Co.....	4½		49,390.81	46,000.00
170	General Baking Co.....	8		29,484.60	21,420.00
600	General Mills, Inc.....	5		74,144.60	67,875.00
500	General Motors Corp.....	\$5.00		60,738.10	56,750.00
400	Hershey Chocolate Corp.....	4¼		21,063.00	18,900.00
1,300	Illinois Power Co.....	\$4.70		71,096.22	64,350.00
300	Ingersoll-Rand Co.....	6		45,084.00	46,500.00
400	International Harvester Co.....	7		65,522.00	60,100.00
445	Kansas Power & Light Co.....	4½		48,020.38	41,162.50
575	Monongahela Power Co.....	\$4.40		57,834.25	51,462.50
300	Montgomery Ward & Co. "A".....	\$7.00		49,153.60	47,100.00
500	National Gypsum Co.....	4½		50,615.08	44,250.00
300	National Lead Co. "A".....	\$7.00		51,255.60	48,750.00
350	Northern Indiana Public Service Co.....	4¼		34,814.10	30,100.00
450	Ohio Edison Co.....	\$4.40		46,294.50	41,962.50
1,000	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....	5		28,574.17	27,000.00
450	Pacific Lighting Co.....	\$4.50		44,424.02	40,162.50
253	Safeway Stores, Inc.....	4		25,187.89	21,758.00
750	Tennessee Gas Transmission Co.....	\$5.10		77,355.57	64,500.00
550	United Shoe Machinery Corp.....	6		24,846.30	18,975.00
400	U. S. Smelting, Refining & Mining Co.....	7		27,272.52	18,800.00
475	U. S. Steel Corp.....	7		64,386.63	71,012.50
400	Virginia Elec. & Power Co.....	5		45,962.00	43,200.00
				\$1,562,019.54	\$1,443,584.01
Shares	Common Stocks:				
10	Alabama & Vicksburg Rwy. Co.....			\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,530.00
797	American Brake Shoe Co.....			30,077.98	26,500.25
2,160	American Insurance Co. of Newark.....			28,575.00	42,660.00
489	American Telephone & Telegraph Co.....			72,521.81	81,907.50
23	*American Telephone & Telegraph Co.....			3,869.75	3,852.50
1,000	Atlas Powder Co.....			46,794.58	57,500.00
2,000	Bank of America National Trust Savings Association.....			76,375.00	64,250.00
660	Borden Company.....			25,889.38	40,755.00
5	Brown Shoe Co.....			280.00	216.25
10	Buckeye Pipe Line Co.....			590.00	240.00
500	Cannon Mills Co.....			29,204.00	23,312.50
1,272	Central Illinois Light Co.....			64,787.55	61,056.00
2,323.5	Chase Manhattan Bank.....			100,129.00	109,785.38
125	*Chase Manhattan Bank.....			4,587.50	5,906.25
2,317	Chemical Corn Exchange Bank.....			99,922.27	100,210.25
495	Chrysler Corporation.....			29,808.66	26,111.25
1,476	Cincinnati Gas & Electric.....			17,435.93	42,804.00
1,875	C.I.T. Financial Corp.....			29,100.42	86,713.75
1,608	Colgate Palmolive Co.....			75,758.67	76,581.00
200	Columbian Carbon Co.....			9,853.88	6,200.00
1,100	Commonwealth Edison Co.....			45,804.56	45,925.00
1,500	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York.....			71,821.51	67,125.00
880	Consolidated Natural Gas Co.....			7,706.20	38,720.00
2,325	Consumers Power Co.....			88,715.71	112,762.50
800	Crum & Forster.....			24,812.50	37,000.00
8	Dow Chemical Co.....			535.17	423.00
2,500	Duquesne Light.....			90,026.29	86,875.00
400	Eaton Manufacturing Co.....			22,162.00	15,800.00
80	*The First National Bank of Hughes- ville, Pa.....			1,000.00	4,000.00
1,200	First National City Bank of N. Y.....			55,380.11	69,750.00
1,000	Ford Motor Co.....			64,500.00	37,125.00
150	*General Electric Co.....			5,850.00	9,225.00
1,000	General Foods Corp.....			22,318.01	50,250.00
2,500	General Public Utilities Corp.....			47,573.24	94,687.50
74	*Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y.....			4,080.25	4,893.25
25	Home Insurance Co.....			600.00	850.00

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

Shares	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
1,975	International Harvester Co.....	.....	.....	\$ 64,243.10	\$ 52,584.38
1,448-18/100	International Paper Co.....	.....	.....	25,397.18	124,905.53
2,000	Marathon Corp.....	.....	.....	55,524.73	65,500.00
1,400	Montgomery Ward & Co., Inc.....	.....	.....	54,522.45	38,500.00
2,600	National Biscuit Co.....	.....	.....	39,052.12	109,200.00
2,550	National Dairy Products.....	.....	.....	39,696.85	97,856.25
629	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	.....	.....	68,108.45	79,254.00
20	*New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	.....	.....	2,350.00	2,520.00
560	New Jersey Zinc.....	.....	.....	35,317.91	10,220.00
600	New York State Electric & Gas Corp.....	.....	.....	12,696.69	23,325.00
70	*New York Trust Co.....	.....	.....	3,880.63	5,075.00
1,650	Ohio Edison Co.....	.....	.....	74,475.00	84,356.25
13,248	*Ohio Oil Company .....	.....	.....	215,600.00	380,880.00
2,100	Pennsylvania Power & Light.....	.....	.....	96,988.14	87,675.00
200	Pepperell Manufacturing .....	.....	.....	13,663.00	9,225.00
2,250	Procter & Gamble.....	.....	.....	49,162.84	127,406.25
1,000	Public Service Electric & Gas Co.....	.....	.....	33,315.00	29,750.00
1,554	Public Service Electric & Gas Co., (Preferred to dividends).....	.....	.....	42,974.39	41,763.50
850	Pullman, Inc.....	.....	.....	51,929.13	36,337.50
550	Quaker Oats .....	.....	.....	16,343.45	21,450.00
900	Scovill Manufacturing Co.....	.....	.....	32,190.40	19,237.50
1,836	Sears Roebuck .....	.....	.....	47,502.06	46,359.00
3,912	Sinclair Oil Corp.....	.....	.....	153,106.12	181,419.00
74	*Sinclair Oil Corp.....	.....	.....	1,468.00	3,431.75
2,005	*Socony-Vacuum Corp.....	.....	.....	22,074.45	95,237.50
3,297	*Standard Oil Co. of California.....	.....	.....	12,832.18	151,249.88
3,021	*Standard Oil Co. of Indiana.....	.....	.....	48,159.77	108,378.38
34,170-93/130	*Standard Oil Co. (New Jersey).....	.....	.....	144,757.22	1,704,264.43
2,200	Timken Roller Bearing Co.....	.....	.....	47,950.14	66,825.00
750	Union Carbide & Carbon.....	.....	.....	24,721.75	71,250.00
700	United Fruit Co.....	.....	.....	36,267.80	24,587.50
2,500	U. S. Gypsum Co.....	.....	.....	48,928.75	171,250.00
10	*Vandalia Coal Corp.....	.....	.....	1.00	No Market
100	*Washburn Wire Co.....	.....	.....	1,625.00	2,325.00
1,200	F. W. Woolworth.....	.....	.....	60,863.93	43,350.00
250	No. 40 Exchange Place Corp., N. Y. City,	.....	.....	1.00	11,250.00
15	No. 165 Broadway Building, Inc.....	.....	.....	1.00	No Market
				\$3,027,138.56	\$5,661,706.73

Mortgages:**New York State:**

Greater New York.....	3	\$ 1,591.26
Greater New York.....	4	23,805.83
Greater New York.....	4½	1,377,295.13
Greater New York.....	4¾	69,657.32
Greater New York.....	5	1,282,195.46
Greater New York.....	5¼	52,450.16
Greater New York.....	5½	179,228.74
Greater New York.....	6	373,463.90
Westchester County	5	52,615.87
Suffolk County	5	25,329.42
Cortland County	6	1.00
Connecticut	6	152,148.95

\$3,589,783.04**Real Estate Bonds and Mortgage Certificates:****New York State:**

Greater New York.....	2	\$ 450.00
Greater New York.....	4½	14,417.00
Greater New York.....	5½	12,187.50
		\$ 27,054.50

Real Estate:

Stonington, Connecticut		\$ 3.00
Chicago, Ill.....		40,000.00
Grady County, Oklahoma.....		1.82
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.....		1.81
New York, New York.....		227,933.02
Phoenix, Arizona		9,405.59

\$ 277,345.24

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

Notes and Claims

Notes Receivable—Board of Education,		
A. B. C.....	.....	\$ 44,200.00
Loan to Bishop College.....	.....	30,236.38
Loan to American Baptist Assembly.....	.....	27,300.00
Notes .....	.....	6.00
		<u>\$ 101,742.38</u>
Net Advances for taxes, foreclosures, ex-		
penses, etc. ....	.....	\$ 1,851.77*
Total Investments—Permanent Fund.....		<u>\$12,073,804.89</u>

*Deduct.

ANNUITY FUND

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government and Municipal Bonds:					
\$ 35,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	\$ 34,830.78	\$ 34,830.78
Railroad Bonds:					
25,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Co., First Con. Mtg. Series "C".....	1995	4 1/4	\$ 19,630.00	\$ 18,312.50
24,000.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. Series "E".....	1996	3 1/2	24,390.00	21,240.00
15,000.00	Detroit Terminal & Tunnel Co., First Mtg.	1961	4 1/2	15,212.34	14,700.00
10,000.00	Lexington & Eastern Ry. Co., First Mtg.	1965	5	9,900.00	10,200.00
5,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "B"	1990	4 1/4	4,500.00	3,331.25
5,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "C"	2005	4 1/4	4,500.00	3,250.00
20,000.00	New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R. Co., Income Deb.	1989	4 1/2	20,162.15	16,600.00
10,000.00	West Shore R.R. Co., First Mtg.....	2361	4	8,225.00	5,100.00
				<u>\$106,519.49</u>	<u>\$ 92,733.75</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
65,000.00	Appalachian Electric Power Co., First Mtg.	1970	3 1/4	\$ 68,080.40	\$ 61,750.00
100,000.00	Brooklyn Union Gas Co., General Mtg.....	1976	2 7/8	100,056.25	86,000.00
47,000.00	Central Maine Power Co., First Gen. Mtg. Series "L"	1970	3 1/2	49,296.08	43,240.00
15,000.00	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, First & Rfdg. Mtg. Series "B".....	1977	2 5/8	15,050.76	12,825.00
11,000.00	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, First & Rfdg. Mtg. Series "G".....	1981	3 1/4	11,190.45	10,230.00
50,000.00	Illinois Power Co., First Mtg.....	1983	3 1/2	52,277.50	44,500.00
10,000.00	Montana Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2 7/8	10,000.00	8,200.00
25,000.00	Northern States Power Co., First Mtg.....	1982	3 1/4	25,233.25	21,750.00
27,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "L".....	1974	3	27,668.25	24,840.00
20,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "X".....	1984	3 1/8	20,230.00	17,800.00
20,000.00	Pennsylvania Water & Power Co., Rfdg. Coll. Trust	1964	3 1/4	20,320.10	19,400.00
20,000.00	Public Service Electric & Gas Co., First Rfdg.	1984	3 1/4	20,770.00	17,600.00
23,000.00	South Carolina Power Co., First & Rfdg. Mtg.	1975	3	23,260.82	19,780.00
22,000.00	Southern California Gas Co., First Mtg.....	1970	3 1/4	22,571.08	20,900.00
25,000.00	Southern California Gas Co., First Mtg. Series "A"	1982	3 1/2	25,903.75	22,750.00
15,000.00	Union Electric Co. of Missouri, First Coll. Trust	1971	3 3/8	15,499.23	14,568.75
				<u>\$507,407.92</u>	<u>\$446,133.75</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	Commercial Credit Co., Notes.....	1974	4 1/4	\$ 49,625.00	\$ 51,250.00
24,000.00	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Deb.....	1977	3 1/4	24,495.60	22,080.00
25,000.00	National Steel Corp., First Mtg.....	1982	3 1/8	25,357.50	22,000.00
25,000.00	Service Pipe Line Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	1982	\$3.20	25,357.50	23,000.00
				<u>\$124,835.60</u>	<u>\$118,330.00</u>
Preferred Stock:					
Shares 500	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Plain Redeemable	5		\$ 14,437.50	\$ 13,500.00
20	*United States Steel Corp.....	7		2,105.65	2,990.00
				<u>\$ 16,543.15</u>	<u>\$ 16,490.00</u>
Common Stocks:					
Shares 100	Cannon Mills Co.			\$ 5,715.68	\$ 4,662.50
550	Quaker Oats			16,343.45	21,450.00
100	United Fruit Co.....			5,828.29	3,512.50
				<u>\$ 27,887.42</u>	<u>\$ 29,625.00</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....	4 1/2		\$ 137,847.71	
	Greater New York.....	5		52,083.75	
	Greater New York.....	5 1/4		8,868.71	
	Greater New York.....	5 1/2		33,287.98	
	Westchester County	4 1/2		10,836.00	
	Westchester County	5		2,576.15	
	Westchester County	6		14,088.07	
				<u>\$ 259,588.37</u>	
Mortgage Certificates:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....			1.00	
	Total Investments—Annuity Fund.....			<u>\$1,077,613.73</u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

SPECIAL TRUST FUNDS—SPECIAL TRUST AGREEMENTS **INCOME PAYABLE TO INDIVIDUAL BENEFICIARIES**

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$ 9,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	\$ 8,956.49	\$ 8,956.49
8,725.00	United States Savings, Series "G".....	10/1/58	2½	8,725.00	8,602.85
				<u>\$ 17,681.49</u>	<u>\$ 17,559.34</u>
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 500.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. Series "E".....	1996	3½	\$ 497.50	\$ 442.50
7,500.00	*N. Y. Central R.R. Co., Collateral Trust....	1980	6	7,350.00	6,000.00
				<u>\$ 7,847.50</u>	<u>\$ 6,442.50</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 4,000.00	Consumers Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2½	\$ 4,136.89	\$ 3,650.00
9,000.00	*Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M".....	1979	3	9,494.89	8,145.00
1,000.00	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "S".....	1983	3	1,040.00	885.00
16,000.00	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., Deb.....	1986	2½	15,360.00	12,700.00
				<u>\$ 30,031.78</u>	<u>\$ 25,380.00</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 7,000.00	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Deb.....	1961	3	\$ 6,930.00	\$ 6,842.50
Preferred Stock:					
Shares 100	*Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co.....	5		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 912.50
Common Stocks:					
Shares 50	*American Telephone & Telegraph Co.....			\$ 5,000.00	\$ 8,375.00
634	*Boston Insurance Co.....			3,461.79	17,752.00
300	*General Motors Corp.			5,000.00	10,050.00
1,000	Home Insurance Co.....			51,375.00	37,400.00
123	*Ludlow Mfg. and Sales Co.....			5,445.62	2,613.75
159-12/100	*Monsanto Chemical Co.....			4,097.84	5,569.20
8,700	National Fuel Gas Co.....			98,457.88	150,075.00
224	New England Electric System.....			3,325.65	3,276.00
39	*New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.			4,152.00	4,914.00
852	*Pacific Lighting Corp.....			21,513.00	34,293.00
104	*Plymouth Cordage Co.....			2,275.00	3,952.00
424	*Southern Calif. Edison Co.....			13,780.00	21,094.00
				<u>\$217,883.78</u>	<u>\$299,363.95</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....	4%		\$ 492.59	
Notes:					
	Notes			\$ 2.00	
Total Investments—Special Trust Funds					
— Special Trust Agreements — Income					
Payable to Individual Beneficiaries.....				<u>\$281,869.14</u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

**SPECIAL TRUST FUNDS—SPECIAL TRUST AGREEMENTS
INCOME PAYABLE TO STATE CONVENTIONS AND
CITY MISSIONS SOCIETIES**

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government and Municipal Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/2/58	.....	\$ 49,577.08	\$ 49,577.08
20,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	19,903.30	19,903.30
45,800.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	2/6/58	.....	45,673.85	45,673.85
10,125.00	United States Savings, Series "G".....	10/1/58	2½	10,125.00	9,983.25
75,000.00	Province of Ontario, Canada, External.....	1971	3¼	75,198.75	70,500.00
				<u>\$200,477.98</u>	<u>\$195,637.48</u>
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 2,500.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. "E".....	1996	3½	\$ 2,487.50	\$ 2,212.50
15,000.00	Elgin, Joliet & Eastern Ry. Co., First Mtg.	1970	3¼	15,093.75	13,350.00
				<u>\$ 17,581.25</u>	<u>\$ 15,562.50</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 75,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1973	3¾	\$ 77,671.88	\$ 73,875.00
3,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1980	2¾	2,786.25	2,602.50
75,000.00	Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., First Mtg.	1986	3¾	79,081.50	65,343.75
75,000.00	Commonwealth Edison Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	1999	3	73,312.50	61,687.50
3,000.00	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, First & Ref. Series "B".....	1977	2½	3,010.22	2,565.00
48,000.00	Consumers Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2½	49,384.80	43,800.00
75,000.00	Detroit Edison Co., General & Rfdg. Mtg. Bd. Series "K".....	1976	3¾	77,864.64	67,500.00
75,000.00	Gulf States Utilities Co., First Mtg.....	1981	3¾	78,951.00	68,250.00
50,000.00	Illinois Bell Tel. Co., First Mtg. Series "E".....	1988	4¼	50,125.00	52,000.00
75,000.00	Long Island Lighting Co. First Mtge. Series "E".....	1982	3¾	76,077.50	63,750.00
75,000.00	Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., First Mtg.	1975	3	72,187.50	63,000.00
40,000.00	New York Power & Light Corp., First Mtg.	1975	2¾	40,383.60	35,200.00
75,000.00	New York Telephone Co., Rfdg. Series "F".....	1981	3	75,000.00	66,375.00
65,000.00	Ohio Edison Co., First Mtg.....	1985	3¼	66,116.25	58,500.00
15,000.00	Ohio Power Co., First Mtg.....	1986	4¼	15,543.75	15,000.00
5,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M".....	1979	3	5,309.31	4,525.00
27,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Series "S".....	1983	3	28,080.00	22,578.75
8,000.00	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., Deb.....	1986	2½	8,225.14	6,350.00
20,000.00	Pennsylvania Power & Light Co., First Mtg.	1975	3	20,573.20	18,000.00
2,000.00	Pennsylvania Water & Power Co., Rfdg. Coll. Trust	1964	3¼	2,024.00	1,940.00
75,000.00	Philadelphia Elec. Co., First & Rfdg.....	1982	3¼	76,986.00	68,250.00
75,000.00	Public Service Co. of Indiana, First Mtg. Series "F".....	1975	3½	75,000.00	65,250.00
4,000.00	Public Service Co. of New Hampshire, First Mtg. Series "A".....	1973	3¼	4,039.04	3,400.00
56,250.00	Southern California Gas Co., First Mtg. Series "A".....	1982	3½	57,857.84	51,187.50
75,000.00	Virginia Electric & Power Co., First Rfdg. Series "I".....	1981	3¾	77,712.00	67,500.00
				<u>\$1,193,302.92</u>	<u>\$1,048,430.00</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	Allied Chemical & Dye Company, Deb.....	1978	3½	\$ 51,782.50	\$ 50,000.00
75,000.00	Aluminum Co. of America, Sinking Fund Deb.	1964	3½	75,912.00	73,687.50
75,000.00	Bethlehem Steel Corp., Sinking Fund Cons. Mtg. Series "I".....	1970	2¾	72,187.50	68,625.00
25,000.00	Deere & Co., Deb.....	1977	3¾	24,812.50	23,000.00
50,500.00	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. Deb.....	1977	3¼	51,287.80	46,460.00
75,000.00	General Foods Corp., Deb.....	1976	3¾	77,253.50	71,250.00
22,500.00	Service Pipe Line Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	1982	\$3.20	22,706.71	20,700.00
				<u>\$375,942.51</u>	<u>\$353,722.50</u>
Shares Preferred Stocks:					
500	Caterpillar Tractor Co.....		\$4.20	\$ 52,727.50	\$ 48,000.00
1,500	Interstate Power Co.....			76,575.00	57,000.00
				<u>\$129,302.50</u>	<u>\$105,000.00</u>

Shares		Common Stocks:			
48		*Southern California Edison Co., Ltd.....	.....	\$ 2,158.50	\$ 2,388.00
46,260		Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey.....	.....	376,133.63	2,307,217.50
				<u>\$378,292.13</u>	<u>\$2,309,605.50</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
		Greater New York.....	4½	\$ 511,068.04	
		Greater New York.....	5	248,890.83	
				<u>\$ 759,958.87</u>	
		Claims allowed for losses on mortgage guarantees			1.00
Total Investments—Special Trust Funds					
—Special Trust Agreements—Income					
Payable to State Conventions and City					
Mission Societies					
				<u>\$3,054,859.16</u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

SPECIAL TRUST FUNDS—SPECIAL ENDOWMENT FOR SCHOOLS INCOME PAYABLE TO NEGRO SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$ 12,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	\$ 11,942.98	\$ 11,942.98
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 10,000.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., Rfdg. & Imp. Mtg. Series "E".....	1996	3½	\$ 9,950.00	\$ 8,850.00
45,000.00	*Wisconsin Central R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "A".....	2004	4	35,000.00	25,537.50
				<u>\$ 44,950.00</u>	<u>\$ 34,387.50</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 12,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1980	2¾	\$ 11,145.00	\$ 10,410.00
100,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1986	2½	100,000.00	82,250.00
18,000.00	Central New York Power Corp., General Mtg.	1974	3	18,096.42	16,470.00
11,000.00	Consumers Power Co., First Mtg.....	1975	2⅞	11,443.48	10,037.50
35,000.00	Gatineau Power Co., First Mtg. Series "C".....	1970	3	35,217.44	30,800.00
20,000.00	Idaho Power Co., First Mtg.....	1987	4½	20,950.00	20,400.00
1,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "I".....	1966	3½	1,082.79	976.25
12,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M".....	1979	3	12,758.00	10,860.00
77,000.00	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., Deb.....	1986	2⅞	79,602.68	61,118.75
				<u>\$290,295.81</u>	<u>\$243,322.50</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 19,000.00	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Deb.....	1961	3	\$ 18,810.00	\$ 18,572.50
Real Estate Bonds:					
\$ 6,000.00	New York N-51 Corp., 10 yr. Income Deb. Bond	1945	4	\$ 1.00	No Market
Shares Common Stocks:					
1,320	*Norfolk and Western Ry. Co.....	.....	.....	\$ 83,660.00	\$ 72,600.00
200	Columbian Carbon Co. ....	.....	.....	9,853.88	6,200.00
400	Consolidated Edison Co. ....	.....	.....	20,260.24	17,750.00
200	Eaton Manufacturing Co. ....	.....	.....	11,081.00	7,900.00
300	Pepperell Manufacturing Co. ....	.....	.....	20,494.50	18,837.50
550	Quaker Oats .....	.....	.....	16,343.45	21,450.00
100	United Fruit Co. ....	.....	.....	5,828.29	3,512.50
				<u>\$117,521.36</u>	<u>\$143,250.00</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....	.....	4½	\$ 76,822.65	
	Greater New York.....	.....	5	195,072.67	
	Greater New York.....	.....	5¼	30,000.00	
	Greater New York.....	.....	6	35,000.00	
	Westchester County .....	.....	4½	1,763.16	
	Westchester County .....	.....	5	8,575.55	
				<u>\$347,234.03</u>	
Net advances for taxes, foreclosures, ex- penses, etc.				<u>\$ 22.26**</u>	
Total Investments—Special Trust Funds —Special Endowment for Schools—In- come Payable to Negro Schools and Colleges				<u><u>\$830,732.92</u></u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

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CHURCH EDIFICE LOAN FUND

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	\$ 49,758.27	\$ 49,758.27
50,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	2/6/58	.....	49,862.28	49,862.28
				<u>\$ 99,620.55</u>	<u>\$ 99,620.55</u>
Real Estate:					
	Rochester, Minn.			\$ 1.00	
Loans:					
	Loans to churches in various states.....			<u>\$488,570.24</u>	
Total Investments—Church Edifice Loan Fund				<u><u>\$588,191.79</u></u>	

SPECIAL CHURCH EDIFICE LOAN FUND

Government Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	\$ 49,758.27	\$ 49,758.27
Real Estate:					
	Arizona Baptist Convention.....			\$ 1,600.00	
Loans to Churches:					
	Loans to churches in various states.....			<u>\$1,258,989.79</u>	
Total Investments—Special Church Edifice Loan Fund				<u><u>\$1,310,348.06</u></u>	

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

Government Bonds:				
\$ 5,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	\$ 4,975.83	\$ 4,975.83
Loans:				
	Loans to churches in various states.....	.....	136,452.93	
Total Investments — Church Extension Fund			<u>\$141,428.76</u>	

EDIFICE FUND—CLINTON FUND II

Loans:				
	Loans to churches in various states.....	.....	\$190,474.55	
Total Investments — Edifice Fund — Clinton Fund II.....			<u>\$190,474.55</u>	

EMERGENCY CHURCH EDIFICE RECONSTRUCTION FUND

Loans:				
	Loans to churches in various states.....	.....	\$ 1,002.79	
Total Investments — Emergency Church Edifice Reconstruction Fund.....			<u>\$ 1,002.79</u>	

CHURCHES FOR NEW FRONTIERS FUND

Par Value	Securities	Due	Book Value	Value at Market Quotation Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:				
\$ 50,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	\$ 49,758.26	\$ 49,758.26
Loans:				
	Loans to churches in various states.....	.....	\$2,479,324.65	
Total Investments — Churches for New Frontiers Fund			<u>\$2,529,082.91</u>	

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUNDS

Equities in School Properties

	Book Value
Bacone College, Bacone, Oklahoma	\$631,048.95
Baptist Church, Cedros, Puerto Rico.....	8,000.00
Baptist Seminary, Limbe, Haiti	10,050.00
Baptist Seminary, Mexico City	31,800.00
Barranquitas Academy, Barranquitas, Puerto Rico	147,919.97
Benedict College, Columbia, S. C.	265,054.55
Bishop College, Marshall, Texas	164,118.63
Colegios Bautista, Managua, Nicaragua	114,898.85
Colegios Internacionales, Cristo, Cuba	134,661.61
Evangelical Seminary, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico	21,112.81
Murrow Indian Children's Home, Bacone, Oklahoma.....	169,619.87
Santa Ana, El Salvador.....	7,683.72
Spanish-American Baptist Seminary, Los Angeles, Calif.	38,778.02
Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va.	355,325.57
Reversionary interest in school properties	2.00

\$2,095,074.55

Equities in Mission Properties

Alaska, Kodiak	\$ 32,019.57
Clemenceau	109.50
Arizona, Cottonwood	3,218.95
Keams Canyon	23,172.69
Phoenix	48,516.79
Polacca	13,896.59
California, Auberry	1.00
Coarsegold	98.89
Dunlap	1,001.00
San Francisco	5,300.00
Sycamore	1.00
Table Mountain	3.10
Colorado, Denver, Brotherhood Home	673.61
Colorado, Rocky Ford	500.00
Montana, Crow Agency	14,921.36
Lodge Grass	29,582.07
Pryor	7,359.60
Wyola	2,076.45
Nevada, Dresslerville	2,995.05
Reno	5,401.50
Stewart	5,097.25
New York, New York	21,289.93
Oklahoma, Anadarko	12,256.68
Geary	2,157.19
Greenfield	1,706.50
Saddle Mountain	3,422.56
Sugar Creek	6,919.80
Swappingback	825.97
Walters	2,256.73
Watonga	5,070.30
Cuba, Babiney	350.00
Baire	2,110.12
Banes	1,500.00
Baracoa	10,476.32
Barajagua	500.00
Bayamo	32,800.00
Bayate	628.94
Camaguey	16,005.45
Camp	5,000.00
Capiro	431.60
Cayo Mambi	700.00
Céspedes	4,800.00
Ciego d'Avila	7,695.00
Cristo	1,851.05
Cueto	1,967.10
Dos Caminos	1,995.45
El Caney	1,132.05
Florida	3,306.60
Guaimaro	1,535.25
Guantanamo	14,361.73
Holguin	5,000.00
Jatibonico	4,501.50
Jauco	500.00
Jibacoa	400.00
Jiguami	2,193.20
Jobal	300.00
Juan Baron	658.05
La Maya	6,000.00
La Piedra	1,844.00
Lindero	850.00
Maffo	1,660.14

	Book Value
Majagua	\$ 500.00
Mandingo	250.00
Manzanillo	7,351.72
Marti	981.75
Media Luna	1,265.00
Minas	185.00
Mir	413.70
Naranjo	150.00
Nibujon	350.00
Niquero	100.00
Palmarito	1,650.00
Palma Soriano	7,643.75
Pueblo Viejo	860.00
Sabana	500.00
Saito	918.90
San Luis	4,163.95
Santa Rita	1,613.42
Santiago, First Church	115,661.88
Santiago, Second Church	11,815.28
Santiago, Vista Hermosa Church	7,124.94
Songo	1,514.10
Veguitas	1,666.87
Victoria de Las Tunas	8,810.00
Yara	2,550.00
El Salvador, Ahuachapan	1,940.00
Amaton	100.00
Apopa	423.00
Atiquizaya	1,452.60
Candelaria	200.00
Chalatenango	262.00
Chilchaupa	1,450.00
Chilanga	326.30
Ciudad Barrios	4,151.71
El Refugio	483.00
Guatajiagua	267.00
Izalco	1,039.50
La Union	1,042.50
Los Naranjos	100.00
San Salvador	26,098.45
San Salvador, San Jacinto	15,382.50
Santa Ana	19,510.96
Usulután	320.34
Haiti, Carenage	10,550.00
Limbe	5,283.00
Limonade	150.00
Marmalade	150.00
Plaisance	477.00
Trou	1,870.00
Mexico, Aldama	1,200.00
Cadareita	500.00
Ciudad Madero	1,350.00
Cuatla	200.00
Cuernavaca	100.00
General Anaya	1,000.00
Juarez	1,200.00
Linares	50.00
Matamoras	1,485.00
Mexico City	61,459.68
Miahuatlan	1,475.00
Monterey	500.00
Oaxaca	919.30
Oriental	300.00
Puebla	64,913.40
Tampico	6,805.00
Tapachula	2,659.58
Tehuacan	800.00
Tia Juana	5,000.00
Vera Cruz	4,237.50
Vera Cruz, Tierra Blanca	1,457.00
Victoria	2,500.00
Zacatelco	200.00
Nicaragua, Buena Vista	301.00
Chichigalpa	600.00
Chinendega	2,122.28
Corinto	1,717.20
Corn Island	200.00
Diriamba	3,499.30
Diriomo	2,000.00
El Ocotal	4,000.00
Galilee	1,600.00
Leon	8,875.00
Managua	43,337.62
Masatepe	2,200.00
Masaya	25,404.18

	Book Value
Matagalpa	\$ 3,000.00
Nandasmo	190.00
Nindirí	501.00
Rivas	1,300.00
Sabana Grande	350.00
Samaria	200.00
San Marcos	729.50
Somoto	1,000.00
Tipitapa	1,600.00
Puerto Rico, Adjuntas	5,811.61
Agua Buenas	6,201.83
Barranquitas	11,653.10
Barrazas	401.00
Barrinas	500.00
Barrio Obrero	3,500.00
Bayamoncito	1,001.47
Caguas	18,496.43
Carolina	22,219.10
Cayey	10,240.76
Cedros	3,496.00
Cidra	18,934.84
Coamo	7,317.02
Corral Viejo	2,371.94
Guanica	1,558.64
Guayama	1,000.00
Gurabo	9,500.03
Guyabo Dulce	800.00
Hato Nuevo	4,033.23
Hato Rey	37,800.00
Jerusalem	2,503.00
Juncos	11,620.58
La Cuchilla	2,919.43
Las Cruces	7,610.00
Los Rabanos	500.00
Mamey De Gurabo	700.00
Mango	691.76
Mediana Alta	901.34
Orocovis	13,010.49
Palmer	3,463.15
Playa de Ponce	26,843.78
Ponce	1,000.00
Puerto Nuevo	4,750.00
Quebrada Grande	465.00
Rio Grande	3,762.19
Rio Piedras	34,013.97
San Anton	625.00
San Juan	83,394.94
San Lorenzo	4,166.51
Santurce	82,932.40
Toita	5,863.06
Trujillo Alto	10,147.10
Yauco	6,804.71

\$1,396,539.25

Equities in Christian Center Properties

Arizona, Phoenix, Mexican Mission	\$ 34,104.19
Tucson, Mexican Mission	18,170.81
Valley Christian Centers	3,860.11
Yuma, Mexican Mission	5,516.96
California, Broderick	9,000.00
Fresno Mexican Mission	13,420.45
Fresno, Chinese	5,786.65
Locke, Chinese	5,000.00
Sacramento, Chinese	7,100.00
Sacramento, Lincoln	23,452.25
San Diego	6,505.10
Colorado, Denver, Mexican Mission	11,216.60
Pueblo, Baptist Christian Center	11,625.00
Pueblo, Salt Creek, Mexican	2,000.00
Connecticut, Ansonia, Italian	2,681.41
Bridgeport	1,000.00
Illinois, Chicago, Baptist Institute	7,500.00
Chicago, Manheim	7,500.00
Chicago, Negro Educational Center	250.00
Chicago, South Chicago Neighborhood House	10,800.00
Peoria, Friendship House	5,000.00
Indiana, East Hammond, Brooks House	62,919.97
East Chicago, Katherine House	26,900.81
Iowa, Burlington	1,020.63
Kansas, Kansas City, Bethel Neighborhood Center	17,750.00
Topeka, Bethel Center	800.00
Massachusetts, Boston, West End	18,450.00

	Book Value	
Michigan, Detroit, Negro	\$ 7,500.00	
Detroit, Polish	5,000.00	
Detroit, Hamtramck-Friendship	2,850.00	
Missouri, St. Louis, Fourth Baptist Church	12,000.00	
Nebraska, Scottsbluff, Mexican Mission	3,000.00	
Nevada, Reno, Indian	26,755.79	
New Jersey, Newark, Italian	10,000.00	
New York, Buffalo, Emmanuel	1,000.00	
Buffalo, Hickory Street	2,250.00	
Buffalo, Jewish Mission	3,000.00	
New York, Chinese	10,750.00	
Utica, Italian Mission	1,359.84	
Ohio, Campbell Neighborhood House	6,850.00	
Cleveland, Negro	10,000.00	
Dayton, Dayton	7,500.00	
Youngstown, Bethel House	6,175.00	
Oklahoma, Anadarko, Indian	46,654.96	
Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Alpha	12,500.00	
Philadelphia, Chinese	7,500.00	
Rankin	19,200.00	
Rhode Island, Providence, Federal Hill Italian	8,000.00	
Washington, Bremerton, Sheridan Rock	465.15	
Seattle, Chinese	16,363.33	
Seattle, Japanese	15,167.61	
West Virginia, Weirton	44,390.16	
Wisconsin, Milwaukee	6,950.00	\$ 602,512.78
Total—Property and Equipment Funds.....		<u>\$4,094,126.58</u>

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$175,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/2/58	.....	\$173,519.79	\$173,519.79
100,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58	.....	99,516.53	99,516.53
150,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	2/16/58	2½	149,586.83	149,586.83
600.00	United States Savings, Series "G".....	10/1/58	2½	600.00	591.60
				<u>\$423,223.15</u>	<u>\$423,214.75</u>
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 3,000.00	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, First & Rfdg. Mtg. Series "B".....	1977	2½	\$ 3,010.22	\$ 2,565.00
2,000.00	Pacific Tel. & Tel Co., Deb.....	1986	2½	2,137.28	1,587.50
				<u>\$ 5,147.50</u>	<u>\$ 4,152.50</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	American Airlines, Sinking Fund Deb....	1966	3	\$ 43,500.00	\$ 43,750.00
Shares Common Stocks:					
200	American Agricultural Chemical Co.....			\$ 14,384.30	\$ 12,800.00
3,200	*Barker Bros. Corp.....			1.00	28,800.00
1,100	Corn Products Refining Co.....			32,224.50	37,675.00
934-37/100	*Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey.....			19,496.44	46,601.70
				<u>\$ 66,106.24</u>	<u>\$125,876.70</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....	4½		\$170,580.82	
	Greater New York.....	5		61,446.68	
	Greater New York.....	5½		45,508.23	
	Other	6		3,249.84	
				<u>\$280,785.57</u>	
Real Estate:					
	Oklahoma			\$ 6.00	
	Alaska, Fairbanks			26,103.63	
				<u>\$ 26,109.63</u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Notes:					
	Baptist Academy at Barranquitas, Puerto Rico			\$ 1,000.00	
				\$ 1,000.00	
	Total Investments—Designated Funds			<u>\$845,872.09</u>	

GENERAL FUND

Shares	Common Stock:				
99	Standard Oil Co. of California.....			\$ 1,146.52	\$ 4,541.63
Mortgage Certificates:					
	New York State Greater New York.....		5½	\$ 1.00	
Real Estate					
	Kansas			\$ 1.00	
	Ohio			1.00	
	West Virginia			1.00	
				<u>\$ 3.00</u>	
Claims:					
	Claim allowed for losses on mortgage guarantees			\$ 2.00	
	Total Investments—General Fund.....			<u>\$ 1,152.52</u>	

RESERVE FUNDS

Government Bonds:					
\$200,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/2/58		\$198,308.34	\$198,308.34
54,000.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	1/16/58		53,737.93	53,737.93
104,200.00	United States Treasury Bills.....	2/6/58		103,912.98	103,912.98
1,400.00	United States Savings, Series "G".....	10/1/58	2½	1,400.00	1,380.40
				<u>\$357,359.25</u>	<u>\$357,339.65</u>
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 1,000.00	New York Central & Hudson River R.R. Co., Lake Shore, Collateral Trust.....	1998	3½	\$ 831.25	\$ 523.75
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 52,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1980	2¾	\$ 45,240.00	\$ 45,110.00
10,000.00	Central New York Power Corp., General Mtg.	1974	3	8,571.50	9,150.00
25,000.00	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	1986	4¾	26,500.00	26,000.00
1,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M".....	1979	3	1,063.31	905.00
2,000.00	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., Deb.....	1986	2¾	2,075.20	1,587.50
				<u>\$ 83,450.01</u>	<u>\$ 82,752.50</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 19,000.00	Food Fair Stores, Inc., Sinking Fund Deb.	1965	3	\$ 19,549.99	\$ 16,150.00

				Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957	
Shares	Preferred Stocks:	Due	Rate	Book Value	
40	*Huntingdon & Broad Top Mt. R.R. and Coal Co., C/D.....			\$ 400.00	\$ 480.00
200	Pacific Lighting Co.....		\$4.50	20,327.00	17,850.00
50	Southern Indiana Gas & Elec. Co.....		\$4.80	5,180.00	4,700.00
				<u>\$ 25,907.00</u>	<u>\$ 23,030.00</u>
Shares	Common Stocks:				
1,400	American Cyanamid Co.....			\$ 53,147.85	\$ 61,425.00
82	*American State Savings Bank, Lansing, Michigan			6,597.00	2,296.00
11	*American Telephone & Telegraph Co.....			1,731.73	1,842.50
13.5	*The Chase Manhattan Bank.....			404.50	637.88
1,150	Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co.....			36,977.38	55,487.50
1,000	Commonwealth Edison Co.....			41,000.00	41,750.00
300	Duquesne Light Co.....			11,275.89	10,425.00
342	*Fruehauf Trailer Company.....			2,340.87	3,035.25
17.5	*Indianapolis Finance Co., Inc.....			1.00	No Market
1 1/2	*Olive Milling Company Land & Improve- ment Stock			1.00	No Market
650	Parke Davis & Company.....			24,927.46	39,325.00
				<u>\$178,404.68</u>	<u>\$216,224.13</u>
Mortgages:					
New York State:					
	Greater New York.....		4 1/2	\$ 37,000.00	
	Greater New York.....		6	787.37	
	New Jersey		3 1/4	29,527.09	
				<u>\$ 67,314.46</u>	
Real Estate:					
	California			\$ 167.14	
	New York			1.00	
	Texas			16,800.23	
	Society's interest in Oil & Gas rights.....			1.00	
				<u>\$ 16,969.37</u>	
	Notes			\$108,189.34	
	Total—Reserve Funds			<u>\$857,975.35</u>	

*Indicates Donations and Legacies.

EXHIBIT G
SUMMARY OF INVESTMENTS OF THE SOCIETY
 December 31, 1957

Funds	Bonds	Preferred Stock	Common Stock	Mortgages, Etc.	Real Estate	Notes, Claims, Loans to Churches, Etc.	Net Advances for Taxes, Etc.	Totals
Permanent	\$3,490,573.40	\$1,562,019.54	\$3,027,138.56	\$3,616,837.54	\$ 277,345.24	\$ 101,742.38	\$ 1,851.77*	\$12,073,804.99
Annuity	773,593.79	16,543.15	27,387.42	259,589.37	.....	.....	.....	1,077,613.73
Special Trust Agreements: Income Payable to Individual Beneficiaries....	62,490.77	1,000.00	217,883.73	492.59	.....	2.00	.....	281,869.14
Special Trust Agreements: Income Payable to State Conventions and City Mission Societies.....	1,787,304.66	129,302.50	378,292.13	759,953.87	.....	1.00	.....	3,054,859.16
Special Trust Funds: Income Payable to Negro Schools and Colleges.....	365,999.79	.....	117,521.36	347,234.03	.....	.....	22.26*	830,732.92
Church Edifice Loan.....	99,620.55	.....	.....	.....	1.00	488,570.24	.....	588,191.79
Special Church Edifice Loan.....	49,758.27	.....	.....	.....	1,600.00	1,258,989.79	.....	1,310,348.06
Church Extension	4,975.83	.....	.....	.....	.....	136,452.93	.....	141,428.76
Edifice Fund—Clinton Fund II.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	190,474.55	.....	190,474.55
Emergency Church Edifice Reconstruction .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,002.79	.....	1,002.79
Churches for New Frontiers Fund.....	49,758.26	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,479,324.55	.....	2,529,082.91
Property and Equipment Fund (School, Mission and Christian Center Properties) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,094,126.58	.....	.....	4,094,126.58
Designated	471,870.65	.....	66,106.24	280,785.57	26,109.63	1,000.00	.....	845,872.09
General .....	.....	.....	1,146.52	1.00	3.00	2.00	.....	1,152.52
Reserve	461,190.50	25,907.00	178,404.68	67,314.46	16,969.37	108,189.34	.....	857,975.35
Totals	\$7,617,136.47	\$1,734,772.19	\$4,014,380.69	\$5,332,213.43	\$4,416,154.82	\$4,765,751.67	\$ 1,874.03*	\$27,878,535.24

*Deduct

The detailed schedule
of the
PERMANENT FUNDS
of

The American Baptist Home Mission Society
will be furnished on request.

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Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society

TREASURER'S REPORT

December 31, 1957

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**Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society,
 New York, N. Y.**

We have examined the financial statements of the WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY as of December 31, 1957. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The Society owns or has equities in certain Christian centers, schools and missions. Except for investments in physical properties, the accounts of the Society and the accompanying financial statements do not include such other assets and such liabilities as these institutions may have. We did not examine the accounts or records of these institutions.

In our opinion, subject to the foregoing comments the accompanying financial statements present fairly the assets, liabilities, reserves and fund balances of the Society at December 31, 1957 and surplus, income, expenditures, interfund transfers and changes in funds for the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery

New York, April 25, 1958.

WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1957

ASSETS

Permanent funds:			
Investments (Note 1).....	\$1,226,413.53		
Cash in banks.....	7,109.60	\$1,233,523.13	
Baptist Missionary Training School funds:			
Investments (Note 1).....	175,517.09		
Cash in banks.....	167.84	175,684.93	
Annuity fund (Note 2):			
Investments (Note 1).....	299,503.96		
Cash in banks.....	1,229.39	300,733.35	
Property and equipment fund:			
Property and equipment of schools and missions.....	1,290,328.42		
Equities in Christian centers, schools and mission prop- erties	212,879.28		
Investments (Note 1).....	2,339.80		
Cash in bank.....	144.34	1,505,691.84	
Temporary funds for designated purposes:			
Investments (Note 1).....	57,310.22		
Interest-bearing demand loan, interfund (contra)	20,000.00		
Cash (including \$1,605.54 in transit).....	49,865.89		
Account receivable	30,285.58	157,461.69	
Working capital fund:			
Investments (Note 1).....	45,734.09		
Interest-bearing demand loan, interfund (contra)	55,000.00		
Cash in bank.....	1,374.42	102,108.51	
Current funds:			
General fund:			
Cash (including \$44,513.67 in transit).....	\$ 49,541.92		
Travel and other advances.....	2,100.00		
Deferred charges, etc.....	37,286.89	88,928.81	
Reserve funds:			
Investments (Note 1).....	294,837.92		
Interest-bearing demand loan, interfund (contra)	2,000.00		
Cash in bank.....	17,113.94	313,951.86	402,880.67
			<u>\$3,878,084.12</u>

WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1957
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES

Permanent funds, as annexed:

Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial fund.....	\$ 721,107.44	
Other	471,890.88	
Reserve for losses on investments (net profits from disposals of investments, less revaluation write-downs), unallocated	40,524.81	\$1,233,523.13

Baptist Missionary Training School funds (no change during year):

Permanent	18,132.92	
Endowment	93,228.25	
Scholarship	69,437.18	
	180,798.35	
Less, Net loss on disposals of investments and revaluation write-downs	5,113.42	175,684.93

Annuity fund:

Demand loan payable, interfund (contra).....	2,000.00	
Par value of special gift agreements outstanding (Note 2)	301,920.21	
	303,920.21	
Less, Net loss on disposals of investments and revaluation write-downs, as annexed.....	3,186.86	300,733.35

Property and equipment fund, as annexed..... 1,505,691.84

Temporary funds for designated purposes, as annexed: 157,461.69

Working capital fund (no change during year)..... 102,108.51

Current funds:

General fund:

Demand loans payable, interfund (contra) \$ 75,000.00	
Account payable to American Baptist Home Mission Society.....	10,748.00
Payroll taxes withheld.....	110.04
Surplus, as annexed.....	3,070.77
	88,928.81

Reserve funds, as annexed:

For equalization of income:

From legacies	152,348.15	
From matured special gift agreements....	46,434.27	
	198,782.42	
For losses on investments.....	3,500.00	
For fire, tornado losses, etc.....	111,669.44	313,951.86
		402,880.67
		<u>\$3,878,084.12</u>

Notes:

- Investments are carried in the above balance sheet at book amounts which are not more than cost or amounts assigned thereto at date of gift to the Society. Market quotations at December 31, 1957 for bonds and stocks are shown on an accompanying schedule. Market quotations for mortgages and real estate are not readily ascertainable.
- The Insurance Law of the State of New York requires the segregation of annuity fund assets as separate and distinct from all other funds of the Society, and such assets are not available for the payment of debts of the Society other than annuity benefits. The Insurance Law also requires the maintenance of prescribed minimum reserves for annuity contracts. The annual report on the form prescribed by the Insurance Department has been filed for the year ended December 31, 1957. The calculation of the reserve requirement at December 31, 1957 was certified to the Insurance Department by officers of the Board and it is believed that the assets of the annuity fund at that date were adequate to meet this reserve requirement.

The accompanying summary of fund investments is an integral part
of the above balance sheet.

SUMMARY OF FUNDS INVESTMENTS

December 31, 1957

	Book Amounts	Amounts of Bonds and Stocks Based on Market Quotations or Redemption Values at Dec. 31, 1957
Permanent funds:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$1,146,413.38	\$1,499,143.65
Mortgages	79,999.15	
Real estate	1.00	
	<u>\$1,226,413.53</u>	
Baptist Missionary Training School funds:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 156,197.64	\$ 209,998.56
Mortgages	19,319.45	
	<u>\$ 175,517.09</u>	
Annuity fund:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 294,608.10	\$ 461,998.60
Mortgage	4,895.86	
	<u>\$ 299,503.96</u>	
Property and equipment fund:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 2,339.80	\$ 1,830.00
	<u></u>	<u></u>
Temporary funds for designated purposes:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 44,914.36	\$ 42,639.38
Mortgage	4,895.86	
Loan to Baptist Missionary Training School.....	7,500.00	
	<u>\$ 57,310.22</u>	
Working capital fund:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 45,734.09	\$ 40,710.63
	<u></u>	<u></u>
Reserve funds:		
Bonds and stocks.....	\$ 294,837.92	\$ 276,532.61
	<u></u>	<u></u>

See Note 1 to balance sheet.

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND SURPLUS for the year ended December 31, 1957

Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 6,338.90
Add:	
Net changes applicable to budget of prior year.....	296.15
	<u>6,635.05</u>
Deduct:	
Excess of regular budget expenditures and transfers (\$488,899.89, page 94) over regular budget income and transfers (\$485,335.61, page 96)	3,564.28
	<u>3,564.28</u>
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 3,070.77</u>

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS for the year ended December 31, 1957

General fund—Regular budget:

Donations:

Contributions received direct.....	\$	4,813.12	
Contributions received through Council on Missionary Cooperation:			
Designated for the Society by donors.....		79,430.23	
Society's share of undesignated contributions.....		237,833.80	
Special offering received direct and through Council on Missionary Cooperation.....		61,328.31	\$ 383,405.46

Sources other than donations:

Income from investments (Note 1):

Permanent funds:

Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial fund	\$48,520.63		
Other	20,169.22		
	68,689.85		
Property and equipment fund.....	84.00		
Working capital fund.....	2,328.10		
Reserve funds	228.22	71,330.17	
The Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board, for pensions	3,499.98		
Rent on unused mission property.....	100.00		74,930.15

Transferred from other funds:

Reserve for equalization of income:

From legacies	13,000.00		
From matured special gift agreements.....	14,000.00		27,000.00
Total income and interfund transfers, general fund—regular budget (Note 2)			\$ 485,335.61

Temporary funds for designated purposes:

Donations:

Contributions received direct.....	\$	4,520.19	
Contributions received through Council on Missionary Cooperation		10,780.84	
Refugee resettlement program.....		24,702.49	
For Revolving Scholarship fund.....		61.00	\$ 40,064.52

Sources other than donations:

Income from investments (Note 1):

Baptist Missionary Training School funds.....	9,910.61		
Permanent trust funds for special purposes.....	5,965.23		
Temporary funds for designated purposes.....	1,290.24		

17,166.08

Miscellaneous:

Received from American Baptist Home Mission Society for Indian, Alaska and schools in U. S.....	72,579.21		
Unclassified	1,814.25		91,559.54

Transferred from general fund..... 22,444.09

Total income and interfund transfers, temporary funds for designated purposes..... \$ 154,063.15

Notes:

1. The income from investments is accounted for as received; however, there is no material difference between investment income on a cash basis and on an accrual basis.
2. Total income and interfund transfers, general fund, is exclusive of \$1,887.09 applicable to budget of prior year credited direct to surplus.

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS for the year ended December 31, 1957

Cities:	General Fund		Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes
	Regular Budget		
Cooperating with city mission societies	\$ 9,066.93		
Cooperating with state conventions	11,311.75		
Christian centers	75,375.94		
Field workers	6,320.73		
Miscellaneous		\$ 4,311.89	
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes	1,767.34		\$ 4,311.89
Alaska, Indian and schools in U. S.:		\$103,842.69	
Indian work	110,461.20		
Work in Alaska	42,711.33		17,409.54
Schools in U. S.	22,412.90		12,623.46
Automobile expenses, travel, etc.	10,123.37		14,765.52
Intdenominational work	1,029.50		
Secretarial and clerical salary and expenses.....	20,812.79		
American Baptist Home Mission Society.....	105.87		
Miscellaneous	493.03		
Transfer to reserve for fire, tornado losses, etc.....	343.37		
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes	4,205.48	212,698.84	44,798.52
Christian Friendliness:			
Salaries	12,149.84		
Secretarial and clerical salaries and expenses.....	9,178.55		
Travel expense	5,653.89		110.33
Literature and printing	694.77		479.00
Institute on racial and cultural relationships	759.29		
Miscellaneous	25.00		192.05
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes	510.16	28,971.50	781.38
Schools in Latin America:			
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes.....		15,000.00	
Special services:			
Secretarial and clerical salaries.....	16,356.44		
Officers' travel	1,609.68		
President and vice president's travel	4,138.68		
Miscellaneous	451.49		5.00
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes	391.73	22,948.02	5.00

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES AND INTERFUND TRANSFERS—Continued

	General Fund Regular Budget	Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes
Literature and publications:		
Salaries	16,123.69	
Publications, annual report, etc.	11,431.99	
Advertising	1,737.44	
Travel expense	1,875.51	
Pictures and equipment	542.24	
Miscellaneous	107.62	
Transfer to temporary funds for designated purposes	569.38	32,387.87
Administration and general expenses:		
Executive and general administration	454.89	
American Baptist Home Mission Society for board and com- mittee meetings	10,748.00	11,202.89
Finance department:		
Investment service	600.00	
Audit	1,200.00	
Miscellaneous	530.57	2,330.57
Other:		
Pensions paid to retired workers	29,358.03	
Pension plan dues	24,130.07	
Insurance	287.28	
Conferences—Green Lake	495.53	43.75
Associated Home Mission Agency dues	1,097.05	
National Council of Churches	1,420.00	
Social security taxes	729.55	
Refugee resettlement program		16,925.82
Miscellaneous		8,900.48
Transfer to reserve for fire, tornado losses, etc.		
Total expenditures and interfund transfers	2,000.00	59,517.51
		<u>\$488,399.89</u>
		<u>25,870.05</u>
		<u>\$ 75,766.84</u>

Note: Total expenditures and interfund transfers, general fund regular budget, is exclusive of \$1,590.94 applicable to budget of prior year charged direct to surplus.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS

for the year ended December 31, 1957

PERMANENT FUNDS

Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial fund (no change during year)		\$ 721,107.44
Other permanent funds:		
Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 463,156.78	
Add:		
Legacies credited direct.....	8,792.10	
	<u>471,948.88</u>	
Deduct:		
Transfer to reserve for equalization of income from matured special gift agreements.....	58.00	
Balance, December 31, 1957.....		471,890.88
Reserve for losses on investments (no change during year)		40,524.81
Balance, December 31, 1957.....		<u>\$1,233,523.13</u>

ANNUITY FUND

Principal:		
Par value of special gift agreements outstanding:		
Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 312,006.50	
Add:		
Annuity agreements sold.....	2,600.00	
	<u>314,606.50</u>	
Deduct:		
Matured and released annuities (see below).....	12,686.29	
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 301,920.21</u>	
Net loss on disposals of investments and revaluation write-downs:		
Balance, January 1, 1957.....	\$ 936.86	
Add:		
Loss on sale of securities.....	2,250.00	
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	<u>\$ 3,186.86</u>	
Income:		
Additions:		
Matured and released annuities.....	12,686.29	
Income from investments.....	19,745.87	\$ 32,432.16
Deductions:		
Payments to annuitants.....	16,877.49	
Transferred to reserve for equalization of income from matured special gift agreements.....	15,554.67	32,432.16
Balance, December 31, 1957.....	<u></u>	<u></u>

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUND

Balance, January 1, 1957.....		\$1,495,612.02
Add:		
Expenditures for buildings and equipment:		
From general fund, regular budget:		
For buildings and equipment.....	\$ 424.78	
For purchase of new automobiles.....	7,170.01	
	<u>7,594.79</u>	
From temporary funds for designated purposes.....	412.28	
Allowance for automobiles and equipment traded in....	4,278.50	
Contribution by field workers of equity in automobiles	2,057.94	
Transfer from property and equipment reserve fund	2,484.14	
	<u>16,827.65</u>	
Deduct:		
Cost of automobiles and equipment replaced.....	6,747.83	10,079.82
Balance, December 31, 1957.....		<u>\$1,505,691.84</u>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS—Continued

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT RESERVE FUND

Balance, January 1, 1957.....		\$ 3,450.81
Deduct:		
Loss on sale of real estate.....	966.67	
Transfer to property and equipment fund.....	2,484.14	3,450.81
Balance, December 31, 1957.....		

TEMPORARY FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES

Balance, January 1, 1957.....		\$ 79,154.91
Add:		
Excess of income and transfers (\$154,068.15, page 94) over expenditures and transfers (\$75,766.84, page 96)	78,301.31	
Changes credited directly to fund.....	5.47	78,306.78
Balance, December 31, 1957.....		\$ 157,461.69

RESERVE FUNDS

For Equalization of Income

	From Legacies	From Matured Special Gift Agreements	For Losses on Investments	For Fire, Tornado Losses, Etc.
Balances, January 1, 1957.....	\$149,568.96	\$43,501.38	\$3,500.00	\$105,410.10
Add:				
Transferred from:				
General fund				2,343.37
Annuity fund		15,554.67		
Permanent funds		58.00		
Legacies received	11,378.42			
Income from investments.....	4,400.77	1,320.22		3,080.54
Received from American Baptist Home Mission Society.....				835.43
	165,348.15	60,434.27	3,500.00	111,669.44
Deduct:				
Transfer to general fund.....	13,000.00	14,000.00		
Balances, December 31, 1957	\$152,348.15	\$46,434.27	\$3,500.00	\$111,669.44

WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
EXHIBIT A
SUMMARY OF ALL FUNDS—RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

FUNDS AND PROPERTIES	Balances Jan. 1, 1957	Receipts	Disbursements	Balances Dec. 31, 1957
Permanent Funds	\$ 488,518.30	\$ 8,792.10	\$ 58.00	\$ 497,252.40
Laura Spelman Rockefeller Fund.....	786,270.73	.....	.....	786,270.73
Baptist Missionary Training School.....	175,684.93	.....	.....	175,684.93
Annuity Fund	311,069.64	24,345.87	34,682.16	300,733.35
Property and Equipment Fund.....	1,495,612.02	16,402.65	6,322.83	1,505,691.84
Working Capital Fund.....	102,108.51	.....	.....	102,108.51
Property Reserve Fund.....	3,450.81	.....	3,450.81	.....
GENERAL AND TEMPORARY FUNDS				
Designated Funds	79,154.91	154,073.62	75,766.84	157,461.69
Reserve Funds	301,980.44	38,971.42	27,000.00	313,951.86
General Fund	6,388.90	485,631.76	488,899.89	3,070.77
	\$3,700,189.19	\$ 728,217.42	\$ 636,180.53	\$3,792,226.08

EXHIBIT B
DETAILS OF GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES
UNDER THE BUDGET OF 1957

CITIES		Salaries	Expenses	
Co-operating with City Mission Societies:				
Brooklyn and Queens, N. Y.....	\$	2,520.00		
Detroit, Michigan		1,300.00		
New York, N. Y.		5,215.00		
Insurance			\$	31.93
	\$	9,035.00	\$	31.93
				\$ 9,066.93
Co-operating with State Conventions:				
California South	\$	2,400.00	\$	81.35
Connecticut		880.00		
Michigan		2,400.00		280.40
Oregon		1,400.00		
Washington		3,420.00		
Wisconsin		450.00		
	\$	10,950.00	\$	361.75
				11,311.75
Field Workers	\$	3,800.04	\$	2,520.69
				6,320.73
Christian Centers:				
Boston, Mass. Boston Baptist Bethel.....	\$	7,200.00		
Broderick, Calif.		1,125.00		
Brooklyn and Queens, N. Y. Emmanuel.....		900.00		
Buffalo, N. Y. Emmanuel		2,220.00		
Camden, N. J.....		2,040.00		
Campbell, Ohio		4,596.25		
Chicago, Ill. So. (Chicago).....		2,740.00	\$	22.02
Cleveland, Ohio		1,200.00		
Detroit, Mich. Friendship House.....		4,082.50		
Fresno, Calif.		880.00		
Hammond, Ind. Brooks House.....		3,840.00		
Kansas City, Kans. Bethel Neighborhood House		2,100.00		360.00
Kenosha, Wisconsin		1,450.00		570.00
Locke, Calif.		995.00		416.66
Milwaukee, Wisconsin		1,800.00		
Minneapolis, Minn. Axling.....		1,380.00		
Minneapolis, Minn. Wacouta.....		1,200.00		
Newark, N. J.....		200.00		
New York, N. Y.....		1,200.00		
Peoria, Ill. Friendship House		810.00		
Philadelphia, Pa. St. John's.....		1,980.00		150.00
Pueblo, Colo. Baptist Christian Center.....		3,600.00		
Rankin, Pa.		1,860.00		
Sacramento, Calif. Lincoln Christian Center.....		1,255.00		180.00
Tucson, Ariz.		5,500.00		
Weirton, West Virginia.....		3,660.00		
Christian Center Training Program		5,710.00		1,179.50
In-Service Training Program.....				6,955.65
Insurance				18.36
	\$	65,523.75	\$	9,852.19
				75,375.94
Miscellaneous, Transfer to Designated Funds.....				1,767.34
Total—Cities				\$103,842.69
ALASKA, INDIAN AND SCHOOLS IN U.S.A.				
Indian Work:				
Arizona	\$	21,366.57	\$	4,288.91
California		7,659.96		1,741.13
Montana		8,024.99		1,081.63
Nevada		11,436.81		2,205.16
Oklahoma		21,066.52		3,038.32
Wisconsin		500.00		
Bacone College				16,425.00
Murrow Indian Children's Home.....				3,300.00
Insurance				6,779.97
Repairs and Equipment.....				1,834.08
Miscellaneous				68.01
	\$	70,054.85	\$	40,762.21
				\$110,817.06

	Salaries	Expenses	
Alaska:			
Missionaries	\$ 22,766.64	\$ 495.49	
Kodiak Baptist Mission.....		9,100.00	
Anchorage Development		2,561.38	
Furlough Expenses		3,854.25	
Insurance, etc.		4,026.95	
	<u>\$ 22,766.64</u>	<u>\$ 20,038.07</u>	
			42,804.71
Schools—U.S.A.			
Florida Normal		\$ 1,000.00	
Mather School		14,412.90	
Baptist Missionary Training School.....		7,000.00	
		<u>\$ 22,412.90</u>	
			22,412.90
Interdenominational Work:			
Division of Home Missions National Council of Churches of Christ in U.S.A.....		\$ 1,029.50	
			1,029.50
General:			
Auto Purchase		\$ 7,594.79	
Missionary Travel		1,791.98	
Missionary Conferences		786.60	
		<u>\$ 10,123.37</u>	
			10,123.37
Miscellaneous:			
Summer Internes, Study Leave and Literature....		\$ 135.15	
Contingent		533.10	
Transfers to Designated Funds		4,030.26	
		<u>\$ 4,698.51</u>	
			4,698.51
Secretary—Salary and Expenses.....	\$ 6,400.00	\$ 4,224.14	
Field Representatives	5,000.00	1,510.60	
Clerical Salaries	3,678.05		
	<u>\$ 15,078.05</u>	<u>\$ 5,734.74</u>	
			20,812.79
Total—Alaska, Indian and Schools in U.S.A.			<u>\$212,698.84</u>

CHRISTIAN FRIENDLINESS

Missionary Salaries and Expenses:			
California (Southern)	\$ 550.00		
California (Northern)	1,516.66		
Illinois	1,600.00	\$ 33.98	
Massachusetts	1,330.00		
Michigan	850.00		
New Jersey	956.70		
New York	1,350.00		
Washington	400.00		
Field Representative	3,562.50		
	<u>\$ 12,115.86</u>	<u>\$ 33.98</u>	
			\$ 12,149.84
Travel and Expenses		\$ 3,295.78	
			3,295.78
Literature and Printing.....		694.77	
			694.77
Institute on Racial and Cultural Relations.....		\$ 419.90	
International Christian Youth Exchange.....		25.00	
Miscellaneous		85.80	
Contingent		253.59	
Transfer to Designated Funds.....		510.16	
			1,294.45
Secretary	\$ 5,900.00	\$ 2,358.11	
Clerical	3,278.55		
	<u>\$ 9,178.55</u>	<u>\$ 2,358.11</u>	
			11,536.66
Total—Christian Friendliness			<u>\$ 28,971.50</u>

LATIN AMERICA

	Salaries	Expenses
Transfer to Designated Funds.....		\$ 15,000.00

SPECIAL SERVICES

Secretary	\$ 6,400.00	\$ 1,609.68
Clerical	9,956.44	
Presidents' Travel		1,201.91
Vice Presidents' Travel		50.00
Delegates to Green Lake		440.81
Postage, etc.		793.57
Miscellaneous		1,652.39
Speaker Bureau		451.49
Transfer to Designated Funds.....		391.73
	<u>\$ 16,356.44</u>	<u>\$ 6,591.58</u>
Total—Special Services		<u>\$ 22,948.02</u>

LITERATURE AND COMMUNICATIONS

Secretary	\$ 6,400.00	\$ 1,875.51
Clerical	9,723.69	
Advertising		1,737.44
Literature and Annual Report.....		8,501.06
Pastors Round Table.....		2,930.93
Pictures and Equipment.....		542.24
Miscellaneous		107.62
Transfer to Designated Funds.....		569.38
	<u>\$ 16,123.69</u>	<u>\$ 16,264.18</u>
Total—Literature and Communications		<u>\$ 32,387.87</u>

ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL EXPENSES

General Administration:		
Office Supplies and Expenses.....	\$ 324.96	
Miscellaneous	129.93	
Board and Committee Meetings.....	10,748.00	
		<u>\$ 11,202.89</u>
Finance Department:		
Investment Service	\$ 600.00	
Custodianship Service	530.57	
Audit	1,200.00	
		<u>2,330.57</u>
Total—Administration and General Expenses		<u>\$ 13,533.46</u>

MISCELLANEOUS

Retirement Allowance Payments.....	\$ 29,358.03	
Pension Dues Paid to Ministers & Missionaries		
Benefit Board	24,130.07	
Insurance Premiums	2,287.28	
Social Security Taxes	729.55	
Associated Home Mission Agencies.....	1,097.05	
Conferences—Green Lake	495.53	
National Council of Churches.....	1,420.00	
		<u>\$ 59,517.51</u>
Total—General Fund Expenditures.....		<u>\$488,899.89</u>

EXHIBIT C
DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES
TEMPORARY FUNDS FOR DESIGNATED PURPOSES

CITIES	Salaries	Expenses
Valley Christian Centers, Arizona.....		\$ 289.83
Spanish American Baptist Seminary.....		25.00
Urban Convocation		3,397.00
Miscellaneous		600.06
Total—Cities		<u>\$ 4,311.89</u>

ALASKA, INDIAN AND SCHOOLS IN U.S.A.

Indian Work:		
Arizona	\$ 5,809.26	
California	202.36	
Minnesota	100.00	
Montana	4,741.97	
Nevada	50.00	
Oklahoma	2,406.83	
Bacone College	2,244.79	
Murrow Children's Home	1,845.68	
Miscellaneous	8.65	
		<u>\$ 17,409.54</u>
Alaska:		
Kodiak Baptist Mission	\$ 1,959.02	
Ouzinkie Children's Home	102.00	
Cordova Hospital and Church	9,574.60	
Larsen Bay, Chapel	936.31	
Larsen Bay, "Evangel"	51.53	
		<u>12,623.46</u>
Schools in U.S.A.:		
Mather School	\$ 1,218.70	
Baptist Missionary Training School.....	13,546.82	
		<u>14,765.52</u>
Total—Alaska, Indian, Schools in U.S.A.....		<u>\$ 44,798.52</u>

CHRISTIAN FRIENDLINESS

Missionaries—California	\$ 65.00	
Literature	481.05	
Miscellaneous	235.33	
Total—Christian Friendliness		<u>\$ 781.38</u>

SPECIAL SERVICES

Missionary Conference, Green Lake, Wis.....	\$ 43.75	
Miscellaneous	5.00	
Total—Special Services		<u>\$ 48.75</u>

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT

Refugee Resettlement Work	\$ 7,759.16	\$ 9,166.66
Total—Refugee Resettlement		<u>\$ 16,925.82</u>

MISCELLANEOUS

Transfer to American Baptist Home Mission Society	\$ 2,422.40	
Transfer to General Funds.....	5,886.10	
Miscellaneous	591.98	
Total—Miscellaneous		<u>\$ 8,900.48</u>
Total Expenditures—Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes		<u>\$ 75,766.84</u>

WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY

EXHIBIT D

Income and Expenditures under Regular Budget for 1957

Income	Budget Expectations	Income	More than Expectations	Less than Expectations
Non-Donation Sources:				
Income from Investments	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 71,330.17	\$ 11,330.17	
Legacies	13,000.00	13,000.00		
Matured Special Gift Agreements (Net)	14,000.00	14,000.00		
From Other Sources		3,599.98	3,599.98	
Donation Sources:				
From Churches and Individuals, etc.	381,220.00	383,405.46	2,185.46	
Total Budget Income	\$468,220.00	\$485,335.61	\$ 17,115.61	
Expenditures	Budget Estimate	Expenditures	More than Estimate	Less than Estimate
Cities:				
Co-operating with City Mission Societies	\$ 10,660.00	\$ 9,066.93		\$ 1,593.07
Co-operating with State Conventions	9,010.00	11,311.75	\$ 2,301.75	
Christian Centers	64,330.00	75,375.94	11,045.94	
Conferences	7,000.00			7,000.00
Field Workers	6,000.00	6,320.73	320.73	
Miscellaneous		1,767.34	1,767.34	
Total	\$ 97,000.00	\$103,842.69	\$ 6,842.69	
Alaska, Indian, Schools in U.S.A.:				
Alaska	\$ 48,340.00	\$ 42,804.71		\$ 5,535.29
Indian	117,470.00	110,817.06		6,652.94
Schools in U.S.A.	21,800.00	22,412.90	612.90	
Interdenominational Work	1,025.00	1,029.50	4.50	
General	10,000.00	10,123.37	123.37	
Miscellaneous	1,665.00	4,698.51	3,033.51	
Department Staff—Salaries, etc.....	20,900.00	20,812.79		87.21
Total	\$221,200.00	\$212,698.84		\$ 8,501.16
Christian Friendliness:				
Field Work	\$ 18,900.00	\$ 17,434.84		\$ 1,465.16
Office Salaries	9,100.00	11,536.66	\$ 2,436.66	
Total	\$ 28,000.00	\$ 28,971.50	\$ 971.50	
Latin America:				
Special Field Work.....	\$ 9,062.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 5,938.00	
Special Services:				
Presidents' and Vice Presidents' Travel....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 4,138.68	\$ 2,138.68	
Officers' Travel	1,650.00	1,609.68		\$ 40.32
Miscellaneous	1,650.00	843.22		806.78
Departmental Salaries	16,200.00	16,356.44	156.44	
Total	\$ 21,500.00	\$ 22,948.02	\$ 1,448.02	
Literature and Communications:				
Advertising	\$ 1,350.00	\$ 1,737.44	\$ 387.44	
Literature	3,825.00	3,552.44		\$ 272.56
Annual Report	4,500.00	4,948.62	448.62	
Pastors Round Table	2,400.00	2,930.93	530.93	
Pictures and Equipment	675.00	542.24		132.76
Miscellaneous	575.00	677.00	102.00	
Salaries and Expenses	17,925.00	17,999.20	74.20	
Total	\$ 31,250.00	\$ 32,387.87	\$ 1,137.87	

	<u>Budget Estimate</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>More than Estimate</u>	<u>Less than Estimate</u>
Administration and General Expenses:				
Supplies and Equipment	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 324.96		\$ 1,675.04
Health and Hospital Dues	400.00			400.00
Board and Committee Meetings.....	10,000.00	10,748.00	\$ 748.00	
Convention Expenses	2,000.00			2,000.00
Interest on Internal Loans.....	650.00			650.00
Contingent	938.00	129.93		808.07
Total	\$ 15,988.00	\$ 11,202.89		\$ 4,785.11
Finance Department:				
Audit	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,200.00		\$ 300.00
Investment Service	600.00	600.00		
Taxes	150.00			150.00
Miscellaneous	100.00	530.57	\$ 430.57	
Total	\$ 2,350.00	\$ 2,330.57		\$ 19.43
Miscellaneous:				
Retirement Allowances and Pension Dues	\$ 36,500.00	\$ 53,488.10	\$ 16,988.10	
Insurance	2,000.00	2,287.28	287.28	
Associated Home Mission Agencies	850.00	1,097.05	247.05	
Division of Home Missions				
National Council of Churches.....	1,420.00	1,420.00		
Social Security Taxes	650.00	729.55	79.55	
Green Lake Conferences	450.00	495.53	45.53	
Miscellaneous				
Total	\$ 41,870.00	\$ 59,517.51	\$ 17,647.51	
Total Budget Expenditures	\$468,220.00	\$488,899.89	\$ 20,679.89	
Budget Expectations for Year				
Budget Income for Year			\$485,335.61	
Income More Than Expectation				\$ 17,115.61
Budget Expenditures for Year				
Budget Estimate for Year			\$488,899.89	
Expenditures more than estimate.....				20,679.89
Excess of expenditures over income.....				\$ 3,564.28
Deficit January 1, 1957.....				
Add: Adjustments during year.....			\$ 6,338.90	
Surplus December 31, 1957.....			296.15	6,635.05
				\$ 3,070.77

EXHIBIT E
LEGACIES
FOR GENERAL PURPOSES

CALIFORNIA

Colby, Blaine N.—Riverside..... \$ 756.65

CONNECTICUT

Frost, Minnie C.—Waterbury..... 54.80

Williams, Jennie E.—Meriden..... 50.96

ILLINOIS

Parks, Sarah A.—Minonk..... 500.00

KANSAS

Crawford, Belle N.—Topeka..... 5,830.87

MAINE

Watts, Mary J.—Thomastown..... 81.25

MISSOURI

Anwyl, Anna—Kansas City..... 1,024.06

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cone, Nettie L.—Rumney..... 374.38

Page, Mary J.—Dunbarton..... 600.00

NEW JERSEY

Morris, Luella 1,405.45

NEW YORK

Ferry, Ervin S.—New York..... 500.00

WISCONSIN

Searl, Ida C.—Fond du Lac..... 200.00

\$11,378.42

FOR PERMANENT FUNDS

MAINE

Grant, Nahum, B.—Hanock..... \$ 1.00

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Barnes, Imogene—Claremont 3,737.62

NEW YORK

Hardy, Pearl—Canisteo 5,025.00

RECEIVED THROUGH AMERICAN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Braman, Martha J..... 7.00
Ostholt, Elizabeth 1.72*
Yaisle, Jacob 23.20

\$ 8,792.10

*Deduct

EXHIBIT F
WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
PERMANENT FUNDS

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$ 55,000.00	United States Savings, Series G.....	6/1/58	2½	\$ 55,000.00	\$ 54,453.41
Railroad Bond:					
\$ 10,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Co., First Cons. Mtg. Series "C"	10/1/95	4¼	\$ 6,725.00	\$ 7,325.00
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	General Telephone Co. of California, First Mtg. Series "J"	9/1/86	4½	\$ 51,687.50	\$ 51,000.00
25,000.00	Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., First Mtg.....	11/1/80	3½	23,500.00	21,250.00
24,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Ref. Mtg. Series "M"	12/1/79	3	24,716.25	21,720.00
25,000.00	Pennsylvania Electric Co., First Mtg.....	6/1/83	4½	24,687.50	24,000.00
10,000.00	Southwestern Public Service, First Mtg.....	2/1/81	\$3.35	9,075.00	8,400.00
				<u>\$133,666.25</u>	<u>\$126,370.00</u>
Preferred Stock:					
Shares	American Can Co.....		7	\$ 2,003.50	\$ 1,620.00
40	Deere & Company.....		7	15,598.80	12,200.00
400	Greyhound Corp.		4¼	32,105.00	23,700.00
300	Monongahela Power Co.....		\$4.40	17,595.00	15,215.00
170	Oklahoma Natural Gas Co.....		4¾	31,387.50	26,700.00
600	U. S. Rubber Co.....		8	4,496.75	7,300.00
50				<u>\$103,186.55</u>	<u>\$ 86,735.00</u>
Common Stock:					
Shares	American Agricultural Chemical Co.....			\$ 35,910.71	\$ 32,000.00
500	Central Public Utility Corp., Voting Trust...			1.00	No Market
200	Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.....			34,810.00	44,039.25
666	Sears Roebuck Co., Capital.....			23,842.50	38,632.50
1,530	Union Carbide Corp.....			16,065.00	57,000.00
600				<u>\$110,629.21</u>	<u>\$171,671.75</u>
Mortgages:					
	544-46 Wellington Ave., Chicago, Ill.....	6/1/69	4½	\$ 7,346.56	
	286-88 E. 2nd St., New York, N. Y.....	4/1/56	4¾	23,115.00	
	372 Court St., Brooklyn, N. Y.....	2/1/57	4½	3,575.00	
	1112-14 Park Ave., New York, N. Y.....	1/9/60	3	1,587.59	
				<u>\$ 35,624.15</u>	
Real Estate:					
	Hancock, Maine			\$ 1.00	
	Total Investments—Permanent Funds..			<u>\$444,832.16</u>	

LAURA SPELMAN ROCKEFELLER MEMORIAL FUND

Par Value	Securities				
Government Bonds:					
\$ 30,000.00	U.S. Savings Bonds, Series G.....	5/1/58	2½	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 29,718.36
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 30,000.00	Pennsylvania R.R. Co., General Mtg. Series "A"	6/1/65	4½	\$ 31,387.50	\$ 28,312.50
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 29,000.00	Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., First Mtg.....	3/1/69	3½	\$ 31,205.21	\$ 28,347.50
8,000.00	Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	8/1/73	3¼	8,067.60	6,960.00
				<u>\$ 39,272.81</u>	<u>\$ 35,307.50</u>
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 25,000.00	Cities Service Co., Deb.....	1/1/77	3	\$ 23,700.00	\$ 22,250.00

LAURA SPELMAN ROCKEFELLER MEMORIAL FUND

Shares	Preferred Stock:	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at
					Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
1/2	Burlington Industries		3 1/2	\$ 40.50	\$ 27.75
200	Gimbel Bros., Inc.		\$4.50	21,070.00	18,100.00
200	Great Western Sugar Co.		7	26,000.00	26,000.00
200	Macy, R. H., Cuml., Series "A"		4 1/4	21,870.00	16,100.00
228	Merck & Co., Inc.		\$3.50	23,256.00	17,784.00
206	New England Power Co., Cum.		6	32,609.35	23,690.00
1,000	San Diego Gas & Electric Co.		5	23,000.00	20,000.00
300	Southern Indiana Gas & Electric Co.		\$4.80	32,318.00	28,200.00
200	U. S. Steel Corp.		7	23,000.00	29,900.00
100	Wisconsin Electric Power Co.		6	15,274.50	12,500.00
				<u>\$218,438.35</u>	<u>\$192,301.75</u>
Shares	Common Stock:				
600	American Home Products Corp.			\$ 8,698.14	\$ 48,750.00
283	American Telephone & Telegraph Co.			46,947.09	47,402.50
135	Central Illinois Light Co.			4,772.84	6,480.00
406	Chase Manhattan Bank.			12,218.93	19,183.50
1,238	Chemical Corn Exchange Bank.			30,843.74	53,543.50
617	Consumers Power Co.			18,462.80	29,924.50
104	First National City Bank.			6,348.40	6,045.00
2,100	General Electric Co.			29,911.88	129,150.00
685	Hanover Bank.			19,825.51	29,455.00
500	International Harvester Co.			14,371.25	13,312.50
700	International Nickel Co. of Canada, Ltd.			25,876.83	49,175.00
1,000	Irving Trust Co.			19,312.50	30,875.00
1,180	Manufacturers Trust Co.			30,724.38	46,610.00
300	Merchants Fire Assurance Corp.			9,450.00	13,800.00
175	J. P. Morgan & Co., Inc.			25,085.25	41,650.00
975	Public Service Electric & Gas Co., Pref. Com.			33,465.00	26,203.13
400	Seaboard Surety Co.			11,100.00	23,600.00
2,430	Standard Oil Co. of California.			24,028.37	111,476.25
500	F. W. Woolworth.			22,964.80	18,062.50
				<u>\$394,407.71</u>	<u>\$744,698.38</u>
	Mortgage:				
	123 E. 63rd Street, New York, N. Y.	5		\$ 44,375.00	
	Total Investments—Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial Fund.			\$ 781,581.37	
	Total Investments—Permanent Funds			<u>\$1,226,413.53</u>	

BAPTIST MISSIONARY TRAINING SCHOOL ENDOWMENT FUND

Par Value	Securities			
	Government Bonds:			
\$ 17,000.00	United States Savings, Series G.	1/1/59		\$ 17,000.00
	Public Utility Bonds:			
\$ 5,000.00	Southwestern Public Service, First Mtg.	2/1/81	\$3.35	\$ 4,537.50
	Preferred Stock:			
160	American Can Co.		7	\$ 8,014.00
4 1/2	Burlington Industries, Non-Conv.		3 1/2	462.83
30	Monongahela Power Co.		\$4.40	3,105.00
				<u>\$ 11,581.83</u>
	Common Stock:			
350	Bankers Trust Company.			\$ 14,484.69
6	Consolidated Edison Co.			186.33
341	Hanover Bank.			9,865.85
700	Illinois Power Co.			18,603.48
771	Socony Mobil Oil Co.			11,830.99
				<u>\$ 54,971.34</u>
	Mortgages:			
	223 West 71st St. Corp., N. Y. Ser. 98.	1/1/35	5 1/2	\$ 3,811.19
	544-46 Wellington Ave., Chicago, Ill.	6/1/69	4 1/2	7,346.57
				<u>\$ 11,157.76</u>
	Total Investments—Baptist Missionary Training School Endowment Fund.			<u>\$ 99,248.43</u>

BAPTIST MISSIONARY TRAINING SCHOOL—SPECIAL FUND

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Government Bonds:					
\$ 33,000.00	U.S. Savings, Series G.....	1/1/59	2½	\$ 33,000.00	\$ 32,401.78
Public Utility Bond:					
\$ 6,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., First Rfdg. Mtg. Series "M"	12/1/79	3	\$ 6,015.00	\$ 5,430.00
Common Stock:					
Shares	Baltimore Transit Co.....			\$ 1.00	\$ 6.50
1	Bankers Trust Company.....			6,409.69	9,150.00
150	Consolidated Edison Co.....			2,919.23	4,171.25
94	First National City Bank of New York.....			19,761.05	30,283.13
521	Home Title Guaranty Co.....			1.00	4,306.50
297					
				\$ 29,091.97	\$ 47,917.38
Mortgage:					
	544-46 Wellington Ave., Chicago, Ill.....	6/1/69	4½	\$ 8,161.69	
	Total Investments—Baptist Missionary Training School—Special Fund.....			\$ 76,268.66	
	Total Investments—Baptist Missionary Training School			\$175,517.09	

ANNUITY FUND

Government Bonds:					
\$ 50,000.00	U.S. Savings, Series G.....	1/1/59	2½	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 49,093.60
Railroad Bonds:					
20,000.00	Southern Pacific Company, Deb.....	5/1/69	4½	\$ 20,200.00	\$ 18,700.00
Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 15,000.00	Florida Power & Light Co., First Mtg.....	4/1/86	3½	\$ 15,300.00	\$ 13,950.00
10,000.00	New York Telephone Co., Rfdg. Series "T".....	4/1/96	3½	9,987.50	9,200.00
30,000.00	Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb.	8/1/85	2¾	30,525.00	25,275.00
				\$ 55,812.50	\$ 48,425.00
Industrial Bonds:					
\$ 30,000.00	Shell Union Oil Corp., Deb.....	4/1/71	2½	\$ 29,850.00	\$ 27,075.00
30,000.00	U. S. Rubber Co., Deb.....	4/1/67	2½	30,137.50	25,500.00
				\$ 59,987.50	\$ 52,575.00
Mortgage Bonds:					
450.00	Prudence Bonds Corp., 1st Mtg. Collateral Tr. 15th Series.....	5/1/50	4½	\$ 1.00	No Market
Preferred Stocks:					
Shares	General Motors Corp.....		\$5.00	\$ 32,496.75	\$ 28,375.00
250	Illinois Power Co.....		\$4.08	10,500.00	9,025.00
200				\$ 42,996.75	\$ 37,400.00
Common Stocks:					
Shares	Illinois Power Co.....			\$ 18,603.48	\$ 20,912.50
700	Socony Mobil Oil Co., Inc.....			26,603.05	73,292.50
1,543	Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.....			20,403.82	161,595.00
3,240				\$ 65,610.35	\$255,800.00
Mortgage:					
	544-46 Wellington Ave., Chicago, Ill.....	6/1/69	4½	\$ 4,895.86	
	Total Investments—Annuity Fund.....			\$299,503.96	

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUND

Mission Property and Equipment Owned:	Totals	Land and Buildings	Furniture, Fixtures, or Equipment	Vehicles
Anadarko, Okla.	\$ 9,500.00	\$ 9,500.00		
Barranquitas, Puerto Rico.....	6,204.75	5,726.25	\$ 478.50	
Beaufort, South Carolina	324,645.69	304,639.86	15,002.00	\$ 5,003.83
Chicago, Illinois—19 So. LaSalle Street.....	141.15		141.15	
Clovis, California	10,058.00	6,008.47	1,137.57	2,911.96
El Cristo, Cuba	50.00		50.00	
Fallon, Nevada, Mission Building.....	3,923.76	2,877.22	1,046.54	
Geary, Okla.	1,542.00			1,542.00
Keams Canyon, Arizona	9,082.36	9,082.36		
Kodiak, Woody Island, Ouzinkie, Alaska.....	100,813.98	72,208.12	12,105.63	16,500.23
Locke, California	2,480.23			2,480.23
Lodge Grass, Montana	3,443.20			3,443.20
Managua, Nicaragua, C. A.				
Baptist Hospital, Evelyn Briggs Cranska Memorial....	428,866.55	369,828.13	59,038.42	
Missionary Home	6,866.67	6,866.67		
Rest Home	3,000.00	3,000.00		
Dormitory	26,726.73	22,505.85	4,220.88	
Monterey, Mexico—Colegio Internacional, School and Teachers' Residence	50,673.80	46,583.65	4,090.15	
New York Office	7,794.05		7,794.05	
Parker, Arizona	5,421.78		249.23	5,172.55
Polacca, Arizona—Chapel	2,500.00	1,750.00	750.00	
Polacca, Arizona—First Mesa Community House.....	5,316.80	3,154.52	2,162.28	
Polacca, Arizona—Missionary House and Garage.....	3,987.74	1,000.00	500.00	2,487.74
Puebla, Mexico—Colegio Nicholas Bravo.....	46,071.54	40,250.00	5,821.54	
Riverside, California	3,122.77			3,122.77
Saddle Mountain, Oklahoma—Kiowa Mission (in trust)	6,176.19	3,650.00		2,526.19
San Salvador, El Salvador, C.A.—School.....	50,321.27	45,628.83	4,692.44	
Santa Ana, El Salvador, C.A.—Residence	7,829.50	7,487.50	342.00	
Santa Ana, El Salvador, C.A.—School	107,469.61	102,684.61	4,785.00	
Santa Ana, El Salvador, C.A.—Lots	1,000.00	1,000.00		
San Francisco, California	132.82		132.82	
Seattle, Washington—Japanese Woman's Home.....	11,910.24	9,500.00	2,410.24	
Stewart, Nevada—Mission Building and Garage	18,621.91	12,415.89	2,327.52	3,878.50
Toreva, Arizona—Second Mesa Chapel	8,500.00	8,000.00	500.00	
Toreva, Arizona—Second Mesa Community House	8,249.58	6,703.00	1,546.58	
Toreva, Arizona—Sunlight Mission and Garage	3,750.00	3,750.00		
Usulután, El Salvador, C.A.—House	536.00	329.00	207.00	
Watonga, Okla.	600.00	600.00		
Whittimore, Michigan	2,147.75			2,147.75
Equity in Privately Owned Vehicles.....	850.00			850.00
Total	\$1,290,328.42	\$1,106,729.93	\$131,531.54	\$52,066.95

Equities in Christian Centers, Schools and Mission Properties:

	Totals	Land and Buildings	Furniture, Fixtures, or Equipment	Vehicles
Berkeley, California, Baptist Divinity School	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00		
Boston Baptist Bethel, Christian Center	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Boston, Mass., Heath Christian Center	27,000.00	27,000.00		
Camden, N. J., Italian Settlement House	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Campbell, Ohio, Bethel House	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Detroit, Michigan, Negro Christian Center.....	5,000.00	5,000.00		
East Chicago, Indiana, Christian Center.....	18,451.96	18,451.96		
Fresno, California, Mexican Christian Center	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Hammond, Indiana, Brooks House	20,569.11	19,789.11	\$ 780.00	
Hamtramck, Detroit, Mich., Friendship House.....	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Joy Road, Detroit, Michigan, Chapel	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Kansas City, Kan., Bethel Neighborhood Center.....	6,273.36	5,931.00	342.36	
Kodiak, Alaska, Church	3,500.00	3,500.00		
Locke, California, Christian Center	3,268.66	2,576.67	691.99	
Los Angeles, Cal., Spanish American Seminary.....	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Newark, N. J., Christian Center in First Italian Baptist Church Building	5,000.00	5,000.00		
New York, N. Y., Judson Student House.....	11,024.08	11,024.08		
Phoenix, Arizona, Mexican Christian Center.....	17,039.16	16,689.23	349.93	
Providence, R. I., Federal Hill Christian Center.....	8,000.00	8,000.00		
Puerta de Tierra, San Juan, Puerto Rico.....	6,500.00	5,000.00	1,500.00	
Rankin, Pennsylvania, Christian Center.....	5,314.50	5,000.00	314.50	
Sacramento, Cal., Japanese Christian Center.....	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Seattle, Washington, Chinese Mission.....	5,213.45	5,213.45		
South Chicago, Illinois, South Chicago Neighborhood House	10,300.00	10,300.00		
Weirton, West Virginia, Christian Center.....	5,425.00	5,425.00		
Total	\$ 212,879.28	\$ 208,900.50	\$ 3,978.78	
Grand Total	\$1,503,207.70	\$1,315,630.43	\$135,510.32	\$52,066.95

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUND

Shares	Preferred Stocks	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations
					Dec. 31, 1957
60	Deere & Company.....		7	\$ 2,339.80	\$ 1,830.00
	Total Investments—Property and Equipment Fund			\$ 2,339.80	

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Public Utility Bonds:					
\$ 15,000.00	Tampa Electric Co., First Mtg.....	7/1/87	5	\$ 15,353.70	\$ 16,500.00
Preferred Stocks:					
200	American Can Company.....		7	\$ 10,017.50	\$ 8,100.00
100	Bethlehem Steel Corp. of Delaware.....		7	16,710.00	15,000.00
40	Deere & Company.....		7	1,559.87	1,220.00
				\$ 28,287.37	\$ 24,320.00
Common Stocks:					
41	Consolidated Edison Co.....			\$ 1,273.29	\$ 1,819.38
Notes:					
	B. M. T. S. Notes.....			\$ 12,395.86	
	Total Investments—Designated Funds....			\$ 57,310.22	

WORKING CAPITAL FUND

Railroad Bond:					
\$ 10,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Co., First Consolidated Mtg. Bonds, Series "C".....	10/1/95	4¼	\$ 9,300.00	\$ 7,325.00
11,000.00	New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R., Income Deb.	12/31/89	4½	11,096.25	9,130.00
				\$ 20,396.25	\$ 16,455.00
Preferred Stock:					
200	Tennessee Gas Transmission Co.....		\$5.10	\$ 20,400.00	\$ 17,200.00
Common Stock:					
159	Consolidated Edison Co.....			\$ 4,937.84	\$ 7,055.63
	Total Investments—Working Capital Fund			\$ 45,734.09	

RESERVE FUNDS

Government Bonds:					
\$ 15,000.00	United States Savings, Series G.....	6/1/58	2½	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 14,859.30
Railroad Bonds:					
\$ 25,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Co., First Cons. Mtg. Series "C"	10/1/95	4¼	\$ 22,500.00	\$ 18,312.50
23,000.00	Chesapeake & Ohio Rwy. Co., Ref. & Imp. Mtg. Series "D".....	5/1/96	3½	23,230.00	20,355.00
7,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Mtg. Series "B"	1/1/90	4¼	7,726.25	4,663.75
7,000.00	Missouri Pacific R.R. Co., First Series "C"....	1/1/2005	4¼	7,726.25	4,550.00
				\$ 61,182.50	\$ 47,881.25

Par Value	Securities	Due	Rate	Book Value	Value at Market Quotations Dec. 31, 1957
Public Utility:					
30,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Deb....	10/1/75	2%	\$ 29,512.50	\$ 26,287.50
10,000.00	Commonwealth Edison Co., Sinking Fund Deb.	4/1/99	2%	7,800.00	7,900.00
10,000.00	Florida Power & Light Co., First Mtg.....	4/1/86	3%	10,200.00	9,300.00
15,000.00	New York Telephone Co., Ref. Mtg. Series "I"	4/1/96	3%	14,981.25	13,800.00
25,000.00	Pacific Power & Light Co., First Mtg.....	10/1/85	3%	24,343.75	23,250.00
60,000.00	Tampa Electric Co., First Mtg.....	7/1/87	5	61,414.80	66,000.00
				<u>\$148,252.30</u>	<u>\$146,537.50</u>
Preferred Stock:					
59	Maywood Chemical Works.....			\$ 295.00	\$ 295.00
463	Maywood Chemical Works, Participating Preferred			5,352.28	5,352.28
				<u>\$ 5,647.28</u>	<u>\$ 5,647.28</u>
Common Stock:					
1,000	American Can Co.....			\$ 46,719.22	\$ 41,375.00
15	Home Title Guaranty Co.....			1.00	217.50
600	Illinois Power Co.....			15,945.84	17,925.00
59	Maywood Chemical Works.....			2,089.78	2,089.78
				<u>\$ 64,755.84</u>	<u>\$ 61,607.28</u>
	Total Investments—Reserve Funds.....			<u><u>\$294,837.92</u></u>	

WOMAN'S AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY
EXHIBIT G
SUMMARY OF INVESTMENTS OF THE SOCIETY

Funds	Bonds	Preferred Stock	Common Stock	Mortgages, Etc.	Real Estate	Notes Claims	Totals
Permanent	\$195,391.25	\$103,186.55	\$110,629.21	\$ 35,624.15	\$ 1.00	.....	\$ 444,832.16
Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial	124,360.31	218,438.35	394,407.71	44,375.00	.....	.....	781,581.37
Baptist Missionary Training School	60,552.50	11,581.83	84,063.31	19,319.45	.....	.....	175,517.09
Annuity	186,001.00	42,996.75	65,610.35	4,895.86	.....	.....	299,503.96
Property and Equipment .....	.....	2,339.80	.....	.....	1,503,207.70	.....	1,505,547.50
Temporary Funds for Designated Purposes.....	15,353.70	28,287.37	1,273.29	.....	.....	\$12,395.86	57,310.22
Working Capital	20,396.25	20,400.00	4,937.84	.....	.....	.....	45,734.09
Reserve	224,434.80	5,647.28	64,755.84	.....	.....	.....	294,837.92
Totals	\$826,489.81	\$432,877.93	\$725,677.55	\$104,214.46	\$1,503,208.70	\$12,395.86	\$3,604,864.31